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PRICE--TEN CENTS.

MEDICAL.

THE UNFORTUNATE

W REMEDIES' NEW REMEDIES

Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,

623 KEARNEY ST. NEAR [illegible]

San Francisco [illegible] for the treatment of [illegible] and Seminal [illegible] Gonorrhoea [illegible] Syphilis in all its forms [illegible] Weakness [illegible] Diseases of [illegible] Ulcerated Legs [illegible]

GIBBON has the pleasure of [illegible] returned from visiting the [illegible] Europe and has resumed [illegible] 623 Kearney street [illegible] Francisco where in old patients [illegible] his services [illegible] Doctor has spared [illegible] out new remedies and [illegible] sed facilities for the alleviation [illegible]

Horrible Diseases

[illegible] many thousands of persons [illegible] are there who are suffering [illegible] ice from the effects of [illegible] virus absorbed into the system [illegible] emaciated and fatigued [illegible] down constitutions disqualified [illegible] appiness of marriage or the [illegible] horrid itch for thousands [illegible] the scene. Let parents guard [illegible] to those who are suffering with [illegible] life-destroying maladies [illegible] for and cure before it be too [illegible] diately to DR GIBBON and [illegible] private disease his experience [illegible] who is certain to cure them [illegible] at mercury or any [illegible] to those who are afflicted [illegible] terested in the welfare [illegible] of the many pretended [illegible] publishing their skill [illegible] few days imposing upon the [illegible] names of eminent physicians [illegible] places. Be therefore careful [illegible] or you may fall into the [illegible]

Seminal Weakness.

[illegible] Emissions the consequence of [illegible] solitary vice or depraved sexual [illegible] ced by the youth of both sexes [illegible] ulted extent producing with [illegible] following train of morbid sym [illegible] ted by scientific medical [illegible] countenance, dark spots under [illegible] ead ringing in the ears noise [illegible] ves and rattling of chariots [illegible] ns weakness of the limbs [illegible] ed intellect loss of confidence [illegible] aching strangers a dislike to [illegible] tances disposition to shun [illegible] ry, hectic flushes pimples and [illegible] about the face furred tongue [illegible] consumption, night sweats [illegible] ent insanity. If relief be not [illegible] immediately either in person or [illegible] a cure effected by his new and [illegible] ating this disease, which never [illegible] quick and radical cure. Dr G [illegible] red Dollars to any person who [illegible] orily to him that he was cured [illegible] by either of the San Francisco quacks.

Married Men.

[illegible] who contemplate marriage [illegible] der any of these fearful maladies [illegible] the sacred responsibility resting [illegible] elay to obtain immediate relief [illegible] GIBBON is responsible and will [illegible] a written instrument binding [illegible] radical and permanent cure of [illegible]

Cured at Home.

[illegible] at a distance may be CURED [illegible] addressing a letter to Dr Gibbon [illegible] toms length of time the disease [illegible] ave medicines promptly forwarded [illegible] ge and curiosity to any part [illegible] full and plain directions. By [illegible] coin, in registered letter [illegible] or through Wells, Fargo & Co [illegible] cine will be forwarded to any [illegible] All communications strictly confid[illegible]

Caution to the Unfortunate

[illegible] ware of the San Francisco quacks and [illegible] rs who with begus sworn [illegible] nwary. Some of the self styled [illegible] are to be found in the [illegible] papers of San Francisco and [illegible] men and became too lazy to [illegible] some are tinsmiths shoema[illegible] intelligence office keepers [illegible] to avoid imposition is to make [illegible] ou nothing and may save you [illegible] advertising physicians in eight [illegible] re bogus there is no safety [illegible] until you know who and what [illegible] on does not deceive people by ex[illegible] certificates pretended pati[illegible] hbon will satisfy persons who [illegible] of his ability to treat diseases that [illegible]

[illegible]ress DR J F GIBBON, 623 Kearny [illegible] mmercial San Francisco Po[illegible] REMEMBER TO PUT BOX 1,957 [illegible] Consultations FREE. Correspondents will please [illegible] that they read his advertisement [illegible]

$1,000 REWARD FOR [illegible] Incurable Case

DR. LE RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM

After ten years trial on the Co[illegible] has proven itself the only curative [illegible] of diseases pronounced by medical practitioners as incurable

Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM No 1

[illegible]ures first and second stages [illegible] the Legs or Body Sore Ears Eyes [illegible] Copper-colored Blotches, Syphilitic Catarrh [illegible] Diseased Scalp, and all primary forms of the disease known as Syphilis. Price [illegible] per bottle, or two for $9

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[illegible]res Tertiary, Mercurial Syphilitic Rheuma[illegible] Pains in the Bones, Back of the Neck [illegible] rated Sore Throat, Syphilitic [illegible] and Contracted Cords, Stiffness of the Limbs [illegible] eradicates all diseases from the system, whether caused by indiscretion or abuse of mercury—leaving the blood pure and healthy [illegible] $5 per bottle, or two for $[illegible]

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[illegible] for the Cure of Gonnorhoea, Gl[illegible] Gravel, and all Urinary or Genital [illegible] arrangements. Price, $2.50 per bottle.

Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN SPANISH IN[illegible]

[illegible] a wash and injection for severe [illegible] Gonnorhoea, Inflammatory Gleet [illegible] all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder [illegible] $1.50 per bottle.

Also Agents for DR. LE RICHAU'S GOLDEN [illegible] for Seminal Weakness, Night [illegible] Impotency and all diseases aris[illegible] [illegible] and excessive abuses. Pr[illegible] bottle. The genuine GOLDEN BALSAM [illegible] up only in round bottles. On receipt of price these medicines [illegible] sent to all parts of the country [illegible] mail, securely packed and free from [illegible] Sole Agents

C F RICHARDS & CO [illegible] and Retail Druggists and Chemists, S W cor Clay & Sansome Streets, San Francisco Cal.

SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING

[illegible] Smithing & Repairing

[illegible]TABLISHMENT,

[illegible] 19 Fremont street be[illegible] Front and Battery,

SAN FRANCISCO

SPAULDING'S PATENT FALSE [illegible] inserted in circular saws. [illegible]ARING in all its branches such [illegible] Toothing, straightening, etc. [illegible]LAR SAWS of all sizes [illegible] Gang, Buck, Butcher and [illegible] together with a good assortment of [illegible] lowest market rates. [illegible] steel faced PLANER KNIVES and [illegible] TTERS always on hand or made to [illegible]

[illegible]—Messrs KNAPP, BURRELL & CO [illegible] ssion Merchants Portland Or[illegible] authorized Agents for Oregon, Washington [illegible]

[illegible] sent through them by telegraph [illegible] be filled at same rates as if sent to [illegible]

Coos Bay Coal Agency.

BERRYMAN & DOYLE,

[illegible]LERS IN CUMBERLAND LEHIGH AN[illegible] descriptions of

[illegible] & Domestic Coals, also Pig Iron

[illegible] and bet Pacific and Jackson sts. San Francisco [illegible]

DOCTOR JIM.

The Celebrated Chinese Physician [illegible]

OPEN FOR BIDS

[illegible] UNDERSIGNED HAS MOVED [illegible] winter quarters rubbed [illegible] his horses and is now ready [illegible] may present itself from [illegible] to the leveling of Mount Hood [illegible] given to street work [illegible] and dispatch. Office [illegible] Fifth and [illegible] Residence corner Fifth and [illegible] W H BUTTS Contra[illegible]

EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

Gen. Butler on the Veto

BOSTON, April 24.—Gen Butler has been interviewed on the veto. He said he had [illegible] but he could not see how Grant could get around his action in issuing $26 000 000 of the reserve [illegible] he did not understand how it could be [illegible] had gone back on himself. He added [illegible] if the President will deny his own acts let [illegible]

The Arkansas Imbroglio.

LITTLE ROCK April 24.—The situation is essentially unchanged. Baxter has notified the President that he has convened the Legislature to meet May [illegible] Brooks denies Baxter's authority to convene the Legislature, and is erecting barricades around the State House.

Miscellaneous News.

NEW YORK April 24.—The [illegible] Railroad [illegible] to-day elected Rufus Hatch as Managing [illegible] He holds the same position in the Pacific [illegible] Steamship Company

Flood in Louisiana.

[illegible], LA, April 25.—It is impossible to give an idea of the extent of the overflow. The water here is the highest ever known. The town is an island [illegible] one-half miles long and a half mile wide [illegible] which there is no exit except by boats. Business suspended, and fully 1,000 people have [illegible] rations for three days, nor money to buy [illegible] The town is full of starving stock of every de[illegible] The river is still rising. Plantations in [illegible] are all submerged, and there are no [illegible] of crops. What the people are to do God only knows.

WASHINGTON CITY.

[illegible]onal Proceedings.

WASHINGTON April 24.—The Senate passed the [illegible] authorizing the construction of a bridge over the [illegible] river at Salem Oregon.

[illegible] Chas. H. Baldwin is detached from the command of the naval rendezvous at San Francisco on the [illegible] of June next, and placed on waiting orders.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—House Judiciary Committee [illegible] to report as an amendment to [illegible] Utah bill a provision authorizing the Governor of Utah to appoint a Commissioner who shall [illegible] the making up of jury lists; these lists to be [illegible] of citizens of the United States who have [illegible] at least one year in the Territory; and from [illegible] jurors shall be drawn in open court.

The House Committee on Pacific Railroads will [illegible] meeting to-morrow to hear Luttrell in [illegible] of the investigation of the Contract and [illegible] Company and Central Pacific Railroad [illegible] Huntington, and Franchett will also be present.

[illegible]ent of the Mouth of the Coquille River.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The Government Engineers report on the survey of the mouth of the Coquille river Oregon says the difficulties to be overcome and the great cost have led the officer in charge to the conclusion that the best outlet to the [illegible] would be secured by cutting a canal to connect the river with the waters of Coos Bay. Cost of canal [illegible] $700,000.

Further Developments in the Sanborn [illegible] Business.

WASHINGTON April 25.—The Committee on Ways and Means to-day heard Mr Sherman, Commission [illegible] of New York, who testified to paying A [illegible] Fay $60,000 to be divided between Fay and [illegible] and $[illegible] to Judge Davis, then the District [illegible] to secure the dismissal of a suit brought [illegible] for selling liquors on which tax [illegible] He paid the money to escape scandal [illegible] he was innocent. He was told the case [illegible] accordance with orders from Washington.

The [illegible] Coming to the Pacific Coast.

[illegible] Wilson is on the way from Boston. On his return to Boston he will [illegible] a Southern and Western trip, which will [illegible] to California.

[illegible], Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad Bill Reported in the House.

[illegible], April 25.—In the House to-day Hurl[illegible] the Committee on Railways and Canals, [illegible] for the bill previously reported [illegible] in aid of the Portland, Dalles and [illegible] Railroad, also a telegraph line. The bill provides that the United States shall guarantee and [illegible] on five per cent ten-year bonds to be [illegible] the railroad company to the extent of [illegible] amounting in all to $5 000 000 and [illegible] of twenty five miles shall be completed [illegible] in the construction of a road from the Columbia river to some point on the Pacific Railroad between Ogden and Kelton. When this portion of the [illegible] shall be finished similar aid on the same conditions is to be extended to the remainder of the [illegible] between Portland and the Colorado river. In return the railroad is to transport mails, troops and [illegible] supplies and also send Government dispatches free of charge forever. No discrimination shall be made against freight and passengers [illegible] any point, and pro rata charges between any [illegible] points are omitted.

WEST INDIES.

Noteworthy Financial Policy.

NEW YORK, April 24.—A Havana letter says it is rumored that several decrees will be issued by the Captain General. One of them will be to fix the [illegible] of gold at fifty per cent premium, and any [illegible] of having taken part in any transaction [illegible] above this figure will be tried by Court Martial. A forced loan of $20 000 000 is also talked of as well as the payment of duties in gold.

More Trouble Ahead for Hayti.

PHILADELPHIA April 25.—Advices received from Port-au-Prince to the 18th inst state that General [illegible] was expected hourly with troops from the south, and trouble was feared. Foreigners were sending their valuables to the different Consular [illegible] for safety and numbers of them were leaving the island.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

European News.

LONDON, April 24.—The new steamship Faraday has begun to load with the new Atlantic cable. The Daily News correspondent at Plymouth reports that the Amerique has been freed from the water and has been examined. The hull is found to be tight, but the valves open. The crew have been telegraphed for and she will proceed to Havre on Monday. The Admiralty Court has fixed her bail at $125,000.

M'MINNVILLE ITEMS

McMINNVILLE, April 25 1874

To the Editor of the Oregonian

This afternoon as a new bit was being tried on a large planer at Jones & Crawford's sash and door factory at this place the bit flew from its fastenings and striking against the machinery was broken to fragments. One of the pieces struck Mr. Henry Reasoner who [illegible] was operating the machinery, cutting and bruising him in a shocking manner, [illegible] him senseless and inflicting a serious wound about the left collar bone. The planer was running at about 1400 revolutions per minute, and as several persons were standing by it is almost miraculous that no further damage was done. Dr H V V Johnson was promptly called in and the injured man is doing very well at the hour of writing.

THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

Was pretty well attended here to-day but from other parts of the county we hear that but little interest was manifested even in the all-absorbing contest for county offices. Many members of both the old parties openly proclaim their intention of "voting just as they please."

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LINN COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

ALBANY April [illegible] 1874

At the Democratic County Convention held here to-day the following nominations were made. For Senators—S D Haley, Thomas Munkers, F Hendrix. Representatives—P Burkhart, Joseph Hamilton, T Shelton, A W Stanard, B R Hoult, G I Crawford. Clerk, Fred Hill. Sheriff, R C Rice. Treasurer, Jas. Shields. Treasurer, R [illegible] School Superintendent, J W Weatherford. Surveyor, M C Bryant. Commissioners, L Cox, Jas [illegible] Coroner, —— Rigsby.

Resolutions were adopted instructing the Legislators if elected to vote for a law [illegible] the office of a County Recorder with a salary of $1,200 per annum, and limiting that of the Sheriff to $2,500. Also a resolution, indorsing the Democratic State platform and in favor of the Legislature regulating freights and fares on railroads in Oregon and making them responsible for every man cow and pig run over. [Profound legal chaff [illegible]] A motion to amend by including steamboats was voted down.

Slippery Dick and Granger Tim spoke here last Tuesday evening to a large audience. Dick did well, but Tim did better.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO April 24.—At last accounts the tugs had not succeeded in hauling the ship James Chester off Ocean Beach where [illegible] drift [illegible] She has easily and may yet be got safely away. She had no cargo on board. Her captain lost the ship Beattie a few weeks since on the Northern coast.

The [illegible] will not sail for Panama till next [illegible] She was 2 days coming from Panama.

Capt Burgess with the ship Davy Crockett and his mutinous crew [illegible] to sea to-day bound for Liverpool.

Prominent merchants and business men of this city have sent a message to President Grant congratulating him and the country on the veto of the Finance Bill.

The trial of Bartlett [illegible] for the murder of Ned Allen was concluded this evening. The jury found him guilty of murder in the second degree.

SAN FRANCISCO April 24.—A dispatch just received through the Merchants Exchange states that the ship James Chester now lies broadside to shore and cannot be got off to-night. She has drifted nearly half a mile south from the point where she first struck.

SAN FRANCISCO April 25.—All efforts to get the ship James Chester off have proved unsuccessful. She has swung clear around, dragging her anchors and her head now lies on the beach. Another effort will be made at high water to haul her off, but it is believed she will remain a wreck.

Greenbacks 89½@89¾.

The steamer William Tabor will soon be sent to the Sound to run in connection with mail steamers to Alaskan ports.

SAN FRANCISCO April 25.—About 10 000 people were at the Odd Fellows picnic at Alameda to-day. Everything passed off pleasantly and quietly.

There were sixty eight deaths in this city during the week.

A Grangers bank was incorporated to-day. The following are the Directors: T McConnell, Sacramento, G W Colby, Butte county, J G Hill, Ventura county, J P Christman, Contra Costa county, J V Webster, Alameda county, C J Crosby, Stanislaus county, J J Woodward, San Joaquin county, J C Merryfield, Solano county, A T Walcott, San Francisco, C S Abbott, Monterey county, John Lewelling, Napa county. Capital stock $5 000 000—50 000 shares at $100 per share. Capital stock actually subscribed $332 000.

The postoffice at Alcatraz was formally opened to-day. Amasa Bushnell is postmaster.

The trial of Wm Nash for the murder of Gresbeck in Contra Costa county last August, is still progressing at Martinez. The testimony of the man Hamilton who arrested him at Battle Mountain was introduced to-day showing Nash's confession and introducing several letters written by him for the prisoner, one of which was to Mrs. Gresbeck, wife of the murdered man.

SAN FRANCISCO April 26.—The steamer Granada from Panama, arrived to-day.

Tugs have succeeded in hauling the ship James Chester off the ocean side beach, and are now towing her up the harbor.

Interior California.

SAN JOSE April 24.—The five-mile trotting race to-day was won by Lady Mack in 13:0[illegible] Norman Hall Good, second. John Stewart, third. There will be a race to-morrow for pacers.

The San Francisco roughs who created a disturbance here Sunday, were to-day fined $50 each.

BAKERSFIELD April 24.—Under sheriff Hungate received information to-day of the murder and robbery committed by Bill Daniels at Indian Wells Station, on Owens river road Tuesday last. Daniels has been employed until recently as teamster for Nadean on the Owens river road. About 3 P M on the 21st, Daniels who had been watching for a favorable opportunity, when James Bridger proprietor of the station stepped out stole Bridger's pistol from behind the bar, and after Bridger had returned behind the bar with Hugh McGaffy Daniels drew the revolver, cocked it and commanded them to hold up their hands, telling them that he intended to rob them. A Chinaman employed as cook hearing the noise appeared on the scene and not understanding Daniels command to sit down was instantly shot dead. He then robbed Bridger of $40 and took six dollars from the dead Chinaman. Daniels then compelled McGaffy to saddle a horse for him, when he started towards Coyote Hole station. Meeting an old prospector he robbed him of a small amount and a little further on robbed a teamster of $10. Mr Bridger in company with John Durant started in pursuit and tracked Daniels within two miles of Coyote Hole station when he left the road bearing to the right across the desert. Darkness overtaking them, they remained all night and resuming the search next day, tracked Daniels to Red Creek, where he had appeared at 10 o'clock the night before and drew his pistol on Mr Seabert who was however too quick for Daniels, he having dodged into the house, got his own pistol and drove Daniels away.

SACRAMENTO, April 26.—Profs. Whitesides and Martin made a successful ascension in the balloon International this afternoon from Agricultural Park. It is the largest balloon ever constructed on the Pacific coast. About 1,000 persons witnessed the ascension.

STOCKTON, April 25.—A fire occurred early this morning in a frame building. Loss estimated at $400. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

Linn County Democratic Convention

ALBANY, April 25.—At the Democratic Convention for Linn county held in this city to-day the following ticket was nominated: State Senators, J [illegible] Hendrix, S D Haley, Thomas Munkers. Representatives, P Burkhart, Joseph Hamilton, A W Stanard, T Shelton, G I Crawford, B R Hoult. Commissioners, J A Porter, Lewis Cox. Clerk, G A Hill. Sheriff, R C Rice. Treasurer, James Shields, for Assessor R [illegible]. School Superintendent, J W Weatherford. Surveyor, M C Bryant. Coroner, P Grigsby. There is a grand ratification at the Court House to-night.

Linn County People's Convention

At the Tax Payers Primary Convention to-day the following persons were elected as delegates to the County Convention to be held in this city next Saturday: M C Galloway, D M Cook, A S Powell, [illegible] Simpson, William Smith, I Parton, D M Thompson, G H Barber. Joseph Hann was nominated for Justice of the Peace and John McKnight for Constable.

Weather clear.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY

Railroad Enthusiasm at Seattle.

SEATTLE April [illegible].—A large and enthusiastic railroad meeting is being held at the Pavilion this evening. Work will be commenced on the Seattle and Walla Walla Railroad on the 1st of May and a grand picnic will be held in honor of the occasion.

INQUIRY NO 1

[illegible] April [illegible] 1874

To the Editor of the Oregonian

I noticed a few pertinent questions propounded in your paper during the last few weeks relative to J M Caywood Sheriff of this county. Although I am satisfied that he cannot answer these questions to the satisfaction of the taxpayers of this county, why not include Mr W H Harris County Clerk and ask him why he has not made an exhibit of the affairs of the county since he has been in office? I do not say there is any collusion between the officers and the County Treasurer.

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THE TERRITORIES

The first [illegible] in Washington [illegible] in [illegible] construction at Olympia.

The steamer [illegible] is [illegible] Seattle [illegible] years and will [illegible] for a [illegible] week.

The Tumwater people [illegible] the grading of the Olympia and Tenino Railroad through the town last Saturday.

Mrs May Eastman, Miss Maggie [illegible] and Miss [illegible] the [illegible] the Olympia and Tenino railroad grade.

Sam [illegible] was [illegible] of grand larceny at [illegible] week [illegible] charged with the theft of a lot of Government clothing.

Five or six German families from W[illegible] have come to Centerville, Lewis county, W T [illegible] for a suitable location in that county.

The crops in the [illegible] W T are said to look exceedingly well, promising a bountiful harvest. The area of grain sown is much larger than any previous year.

Sixty months labor valued at $2 400, [illegible] acres of land and 158 town lots valued at $[illegible] 000, $2 250 worth of material and $1 600 cash have been subscribed to the Olympia and Tenino Railroad.

A man named Dorougherty living on the Kumtulup Shoalwater Bay cut his foot very badly lately, and probably would have bled to death had not the Indians found him in time. He was nearly exhausted.

In Bruneau valley Idaho, the grass is earlier there than here and the cattle shed their old coats and look sleek and fine. The farmers are putting in more crops this year than ever and they will be two weeks longer seeding.

The Vancouver [illegible] says: It is rumored that a strong petition will be forwarded to the Governor in the event of a failure to obtain a new trial asking that the sentence of Mike Harrigan be commuted to the Penitentiary for life instead of the death penalty.

The Boise City Statesman of the 18th says: "Barret Williams is running his sawmill 10 miles above here in Boise county but says he will not be able to haul out lumber to this place for six weeks yet. The snow is two feet deep packed solid in places where there was none last year at this time."

A Montana paper says: "The fleeces of sheep driven up to Montana double their weight in two years time. A flock of ewes will nearly double its number in a single season. The wool of New Mexico and Colorado sheep driven into the cool Territory [illegible] often and thickens. Feeding on the bunch grass they fill up quicker lower down and wander less than do flocks in any other section."

A private letter from Judge McFadden dated Washington April 2d says: Senator [illegible] man Chairman of the Senate Committee on Private Land Claims informed me this morning that the Committee would make an adverse report on the Vancouver St James Mission Bill. They take the ground referred to in my protest not on the merits but that the case is one for the Courts and not for Congress to decide.

The Seattle Dispatch says that since the Anderson was hauled off the Fort Wrangel and Victoria route the other lines have raised the fare, but the miners being opposed to extortion, have induced Mr. Charles Millard of Victoria, to put the double cylinder steamer Isabel on the route in the place of the Anderson. Capt Morrison will have charge in the pilot house assisted by Smith, formerly on the Sitka route.

The Transcript learns from Shoal Water Bay that the Washington Company, an organization of thirty oystermen, has broken down the opposition of the old companies who combined against them. The Washington Company has now a foothold in the San Francisco market and the price of oysters has advanced. There are about thirty more owners of oyster beds who talk of forming themselves into a company.

The Olympia Courier says: It is understood to be the desire of the people who live near Tenino and in the Skookum Chuck region to meet at Tenino next May day and apply their work at that end of the line. A large turnout is expected and the time lost in traveling to Bush Prairie would be of great gain if put in at work on the road. An engineer will likely go out to superintend the work in accordance with this wish.

The Directors of the Seattle and Walla Walla Railroad held a meeting in their office at Seattle last week and located the depot or terminus of their road on the mud flat in the upper part of town between Randolph's planing mill and Pennell's mud house. From there the road runs over the flat to the head of the bay, and will have to be piled about a mile and a half. Mr Yesler and the Renton Coal Co have contracted to build the first five miles, and to take their pay in stock.

A Puget Sound Sunday School Superintendent makes the following report: "Spring has come again. The storms of winter which have been are now no more. The rain has fallen and the creeks have swollen and yet the onions cease not to grow nor does the laughing mountain stream fail to supply the wants of the thirsty traveler. The snows have come like monster spectres and silently passed away. And yet, and the frowns of winter, our Sabbath School has been a success."

The report of the survey of the boundary line between Idaho and Washington Territory has just been completed and will soon be forwarded to Washington City. It consists of copious notes and explanations of the astronomical and topographical parts of the work and makes a closely written book of some 500 pages. This is accompanied by a map of the line. The penciling of the map were made by Mr Reeves and then it was filled out and embellished in ink by [illegible] and is a fine specimen of draughting.

Wm Greene who was recently sent to Steilacoom Insane Asylum from Vancouver prevailed upon the physician in charge to recommend his dismissal from durance vile. He also prevailed upon Hill Harman keeper to accompany him back to Vancouver for the purpose of assisting him to settle his accounts, dispose of his property, etc. and would then return to Steilacoom and become a resident of that neighborhood. Greene agreeing to pay all expenses. Accordingly Mr Harman accompanied him arriving at Vancouver on Wednesday morning last. Both came ashore, went to a hotel, got breakfast, took a stroll around town and that was the last seen of Greene. He gave his friend the slip and up to the writing has not been heard from.

The Tacoma Tribune of the 24th says: Mr C B Wright, Director and Vice President of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co and President of the Tacoma Land Co arrived in this city on last evening's train having landed at Kalama from the [illegible] yesterday morning. He has been over the town site and appreciating the importance of bringing the road into the town on the hill has ordered the work to be commenced at once. Accordingly Capt Smith with a force of men [illegible] of the route this afternoon for the purpose of establishing the grade. This bit of road will be 500 feet in length and as the iron is now at Kalama the track will be laid [illegible] by the [illegible] of June. Mr Wright will stay here a number of days and leave [illegible] next Monday [illegible] Capt Ainsworth.

A [illegible] AFFAIR.—The following [illegible] exchange: A county clerk in a certain [illegible] which in was trimming up in the ways of the ox. The [illegible] walked around very peaceably [illegible] end of the yoke while Mr Clerk held up the other end, but in an unfortunate moment the [illegible] received the idea of putting his own neck through the yoke to let the calf see how it would seem to work with a partner. The fright[illegible] the calf and elevating his tail and his voice he struck a dead run for the village and Mr Clerk went along with his head down and his plug hat in his hand, training every nerve to keep up and crying out at the top of his voice "Here we come, the two [illegible] fool souls! Head us, or [illegible]!"

OREGON

Warm Spring [illegible] at Albany [illegible] Salem [illegible]

Salem has a new enterprise in the shape of a milk manufactory.

The mercury at the Dalles last week [illegible] up to 80 degrees in the shade.

[illegible] transactions are [illegible] in Wasco county.

The municipal election at Corvallis will occur on Monday of next week.

A large amount of [illegible] and chickens were shipped from Cornelius last week.

[illegible] Veatch declines to be the temperance candidate for Clerk of Lane county.

At Dallas [illegible] Independent State paper are taken [illegible] Republican and [illegible] Democratic.

There were sixteen accessions to the North Yamhill Lodge, I O G T last Saturday.

The Willamette Farmer of last week contains a likeness of the late Charles Sumner.

Sixty head of beef cattle reached the Dalles last week, on their way to the Seattle market.

John Garrish of North Yamhill was fined $50 and costs, amounting to $88, for beating his wife.

Ten persons were initiated in the Good Templars' Lodge at the Dalles at the meeting last week.

Millions of crickets have made their appearance in the vicinity of Des Chutes, Wasco county.

The Lodge of I O G T at North Yamhill has been reorganized with forty-six charter members.

Rev R G Haun organized an encampment at Sheridan last week with thirty four charter members.

The night of meeting of Excelsior Lodge I O G T Corvallis has been changed from Monday to Saturday.

J F Miller is acting agent of the Willamette Woolen Manufacturing Company, vice Joseph Hoyt resigned.

A number of Albany wheat dealers have telegraphed for a vessel to take a cargo of grain direct from Astoria to Liverpool.

Salem firemen have foolishly adopted a badge and made it obligatory on each member of the department to wear the same.

The house of Mr McCormick two miles from Eugene was burned on Sunday the 19th inst. All the contents were destroyed.

D [illegible] Davis has given up the Corvallis [illegible] and it is reported that Frank Myers will have charge of that paper hereafter.

The Baptist denomination have established a Mission Sunday School at the North Salem School House. Adam Stevens is Superintendent.

At a regular meeting of Unity Encampment McMinnville, I B Handley and G W Jones were elected delegates to the Grand Encampment.

Mr Stanton who was severely stabbed by a man named Thurman near Silverton, Marion county last week is reported not likely to recover.

Brickmaking for the season commenced at the Penitentiary on Wednesday of last week—16 000 made Wednesday and 33 000 made the next day.

A little daughter of St J Skinner of Eugene City swallowed a lump of blue vitriol last week and came near dying before the doctor reached her.

Mrs Harriet Thompson, the last daughter of Rev J H Small of Marion county, died on Friday of last week and was buried at Salem the following day.

Less than twenty trade marks have been filed in the Secretary of State's office from the date of the Territorial organization of Oregon to the present time.

O, S W S Association for Yamhill county will meet at the Court House in Lafayette on Friday the first day of May at 7 30 o'clock P M instead of 11 A M.

The Warm Spring Indians paid a visit to the Willamette University last week, and were pleased with the advances which education is making in this country.

The following persons were elected delegates to attend the Grand Encampment I O O F to be held in Salem May 5th: C W [illegible] J Lolter, M Haley, [illegible] Preston.

Farmers from all sections of Yamhill county say they have never seen a better prospect for grain than there is the present season, and per consequence farmers are happy.

The Independent County Central Committee of Polk county are requested to meet in Dallas on Saturday, May 2d, for the purpose of nominating a County School Superintendent.

The result of the special school meeting at Oakland was a tax levy of $600 to build a school house in the new town, and $100 for repairs and painting the old academy building.

We hear of a domestic fracas in the lower end of Polk county between father and son in which knives, pitchforks and other such playthings were brought into requisition. No funerals.

At the last regular meeting of Tualatin Encampment, Lafayette, Jame[s] [illegible] Hembree and G [illegible] Dorris were elected delegates to the Grand Encampment, which meets at Salem May 5th.

Wm Johnson who has been "doing the State some service" for a year past at the penitentiary because he stole some horse collars was released last week by reason of the expiration of his term.

A gay and festive youth—Mr Q Z Nix—on over whose head sixty five summers have lightly passed, led the pretty Miss Tupper, aged sixteen, to the altar, at Independence a day or two since.

On Tuesday of last week Mr [illegible] Grimes of the Dalles accidently cut his foot with an adz while at work for the O S N Co. The wound is rather a severe one and will likely keep him from his work for some time.

County Clerk [illegible] has furnished the Courier the costs in the April term of the Circuit Court in Yamhill county in 1873 and also the costs of the April term 1874: Jurors fees 1873, $1,0[illegible]; jurors fees 1874, $[illegible]; grand jury witnesses &c, 1873, $140 90; same in 1874, $24 10.

Mr J H H[illegible]well of Salem has received advices that a ticket which he held in the Kentucky Library Lottery has drawn a prize of $50. As the tickets were not all sold the amount will be cut down [illegible] The original ticket was $50, so that Mr H [illegible] $[illegible] 50 out of pocket. Lucky man.

The following is the Curry county Republican ticket: For Joint Representative, H G Bird; County Clerk, [illegible]; Sheriff, S B Gardiner; County Treasurer, John Thomas; School Superintendent, M B Gregory; Assessor, [illegible] Miller; Surveyor, [illegible] Cannell; Commissioners, [illegible] Hughes and [illegible] Miller.

The Statesman says Mr Underwood living in North Salem lost a fine cow yesterday by being poisoned from drinking water from Mill Creek in which [illegible] had been thrown by factory hands. This is the third or fourth cow which has been killed by the same cause and the [illegible] for Mr Underwood [illegible] could be [illegible]

The Democratic ticket in Curry county is as follows: For Joint Representative, [illegible] Fitzhugh; County Clerk, [illegible]; Sheriff, [illegible] Carman; County Commissioners, Chas [illegible] Zumwalt and A [illegible]; Treasurer, John [illegible]; Assessor, [illegible] Rudolph; Surveyor, [illegible] Colebrook; School Superintendent, [illegible]; Coroner, Peter Gunn.

The State [illegible] says: A man by the name of [illegible] Russell who has been confined in the penitentiary for a year was released last Saturday, his time having expired. The crime for which he was sentenced was that of larceny of wheat committed in Yamhill county. It will be remembered that about the time this robbery was done the barn from which the grain was stolen was burned down. Immediately upon the discharge of Russell he was re-arrested by the Sheriff of Yamhill county and taken back to the county to be tried for the crime of arson. It is supposed that he was in some way connected with the burning of the barn.

At a regular meeting of Capital Lodge No 11 I O G T Salem held last Saturday evening the following persons were elected to fill all the various offices during the ensuing term: Lafayette Williams, W C T; Mrs J H Crawford, W V T; M J Chamberlain, W S; [illegible] W F S; [illegible] Treasurer; W [illegible] Chaplain; W M Amanda [illegible] W I G; [illegible] W O G; [illegible] W [illegible]

A gentleman who has traveled through Lane, Linn and Benton counties informs the [illegible] that all the farmers with whom he talked are putting in more grain this year than ever before, and that a large acreage of new land is being broken up this spring in all the counties visited by him. The same news has reached us from Polk, Yamhill and other counties, and all over Oregon prospects are good for an immense crop this season.

The temperance people of Marion county met last Saturday pursuant to a call for a County Convention. After consulting together it was agreed to appoint a committee whose duty it shall be to confer with the nominees of the different parties already in the field and learn from them what are their temperance proclivities and what they will promise to do toward temperance legislation. The members of that Committee are Messrs L J Powell, G W Dimmick, B I Ramp, T H Cann and J H Rhork. L J Powell, J H Rhork, G W Dimick and Rev Wm McPheeters were chosen as delegates to attend the Mass State Temperance Convention to be held at Portland May 6th.

GRANGER TIM AND SLIPPERY DICK AT OAKLAND

DAVENPORT MEETS WITH A HANDSOME RECEPTION AT THE HANDS OF DOUGLAS COUNTY — POOR [illegible] GETS INTO HOT WATER

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN]

OAKLAND April 24 1874

To the Editor of the Oregonian

Williams and Davenport spoke in our town last night. There is a statute in the Deady Code against cruelty to animals. If that statute is enforced Davenport will soon be in limbo. And he ought to be for it is not right to torture anything as he did Williams. The latter opened the debate and by stopping frequently to take a swallow of water and to draw his white handkerchief to wipe his perspiring face and by other tricks known only to public speakers who have nothing to say he managed to worry through his hour.

The large hall was well filled and every person present will bear witness that Williams made not a single point, excited no enthusiasm among his friends (if he had any there) and that the only allusion he made to national affairs was to say that President Grant had vetoed the inflation bill. With this exception his whole speech was made up of a very low grade of personalities and he finally took his seat amidst an almost painful silence.

AS DAVENPORT AROSE FROM HIS SEAT

He was greeted with deafening applause, and when quiet was restored then commenced the fun. The scene that followed cannot be told on paper as it deserves. It was rich beyond description. If Williams can stand such flayings four or five times a week from now till the 1st of June he deserves to be canonized as a martyr. When Davenport got through, Williams undertook to reply but he was so mad that it is very doubtful if he knew half of the time what he was saying. He compared himself to the frog in the fable, and said that, though it might be fun for Davenport, it was death to the frog. The audience fully agreed with him.

On the whole Dick Williams struggle was a painful exhibition of weakness, rant and anger. He said there had never been a call for Independent primaries in Multnomah county, and that the Independent movement was gotten up secretly in the city of Portland. He called on Mr R J Ladd of Portland who happened to be present to prove it, but that gentleman flatly refused to indorse the statement and gave Williams to understand pretty plainly that he did not consider it proper for him to take part in the discussion as it was none of his funeral. During Davenport's speech he was frequently interrupted with rapturous applause and the speaking will result in additional strength to the Independent cause.

RED CLOVER.—The Canada Farmer, after speaking of the grasses used for improving the soil in the South says: But after all clover is our "Moses," as truly as it is that of the Southerners. There is nothing like it as a recuperator of the soil. Clover well dressed with plaster is a vegetable magician. Its long tap roots go down into the depths of the earth for food and moisture and its broad magnetic leaves attract the fertilizing gases and humidity of the atmosphere. Whatever there is in the heaven above or in the earth beneath which its leaves and roots can gather, will without fail be brought to the soil to improve its condition. And it flourishes most luxuriantly here. Of all the sights that are fitted to bring hope and joy to a farmer's heart in the summer time commend us to a glorious field of red clover.—Prairie Farmer.

A MISUNDERSTANDING.—One of the prominent physicians of this city was accosted by his son with "Father, do you think Bill Hour will get Mr Sumner's place in the Senate?" The father replied "Why what do you mean?" "I mean will Bill Hour be elected to fill the vacancy caused by Mr Sumner's death." "My son," replied the father, "there is no such person as Bill Hour, and if there was that is not the proper way for you to speak of him. You should be more respectful." "Why father," said the boy, "that's the way Mr Sumner spoke of him himself." "I don't understand what you mean," answered the father, when the boy explained: "I read it in all the papers that when Mr Sumner was dying he said to Mr Hour, 'Take care of my civil rights Bill.'"—[illegible]

BREAKING [illegible] SITTING HENS.—A friend of ours told us the other day how his wife cured hens of sitting, and as it is a very novel way we repeat it for the benefit of others who are troubled with inveterate old sitters. This lady had a hen that was bound to sit, the lady was bound she shouldn't. She would shut up the old hen one day and when released back she would go to her sitting. Patience hardly gave out. Picking up some splinters from the chip yard some four or five inches long she bound them firmly to the hen's legs, leaving only the hip joints in working order. Biddie was outwitted like the old Dutchman's hen; she would have to sit standing.—[illegible]

The ladies of Olympia held religious services in one of the saloons of the town on Sunday.

CARRIAGE MAKING.

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GRAND BALL

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Procession will form at Odd Fellows Temple at one o'clock P M and take up line of march as follows—Down First to C, down C to Front, up Front to Morrison, up Morrison to First, up First to Madison, up Madison to Fourth, down Fourth to Alder, down Alder to Masonic Hall, where the Exercises of the day will take place, after which the Procession will reform and march to the Odd Fellows Temple.

The Celebration will conclude with a

Grand Ball in the Evening!

AT MASONIC HALL.

Tickets, $2 00, to be obtained by presenting invitation at the following places: Alisky & Hegele's, Harris & Blum's, and of the members of the Committee.

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THOS JOHNSTON — G F ABBOTT

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AS FOLLOWS

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St. Joseph	6 00 A M	Portland	10 00 A M

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MONDAY MORNING APRIL 27 1874

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES LAST SATURDAY

The Republican primaries held last Saturday furnish further evidence, if further evidence were needed to prove how entirely dead is party spirit in Portland. What President Grant said last fall was true of the agricultural sections of the Union, may certainly be said of Oregon now. Party ties have indeed relaxed—relaxed till they are scarcely felt at all.

These primaries were for the purpose of choosing delegates to a County Convention to dominate a county and legislative ticket. It was the old thing over again—everything else subordinated to the question of who shall have the nomination for Sheriff. This is the office that has its thousands—its more than ten thousand—of dollars pay, and the whole fight is for Sheriff. This contest always calls out the active workers of the party—secures the largest vote at the precinct meetings of all primary elections. In 1872—the last general election—the contest was confined to this one matter and the vote cast at the Portland primaries numbered over 1,700. Last Saturday the case was exactly similar. A most stubborn and energetic contest had been going on for weeks between the rival candidates for the nomination for Sheriff and each done the very utmost of his ability to get every friend of his to the voting places. It might have been reasonably predicted that nearly every voter in this county who expects to vote the Republican county ticket, would be on hand and active to secure delegations favorable to his favorite, so warm had the conflict grown, and we are not quite sure now that such prediction would have been greatly out of the way. But yet in all the precincts of the city together there were only 668 votes cast. Only *six hundred and sixty-eight*, against *over seventeen hundred* on the corresponding occasion two years ago! And of this small number thrown last Saturday, it is whispered loud enough to be heard across a square, that a large number were the votes of the same individuals repeated over and over again in the interest of Mr J M Caywood who was the Custom House candidate, and it is well known that a large number were cast by persons who never voted a Republican ticket in their lives (unless they did so for hire) and who scout the idea of being counted as Republican voters.

This is the condition of things in Portland. And it only demonstrates that Portland is in sympathy with the rest of the State.

THAT CONVERSATION

The bribers' organ has a long story in its editorial columns purporting to detail a conversation that should have taken place between Dick Williams and the editor of the OREGONIAN some time before Dick was nominated as the ring candidate for Congress, the substance of which was that we desired Dick to run on the Independent ticket for Congress, and expressed the opinion that he would make a strong candidate. The *Bulletin* does not say upon whose authority it makes this statement. We had a great many conversations with Mr Williams, not of our seeking so much as of his, during the last two months before his nomination, in all of which we expressed to him what we have always expressed to others, namely, that our personal relations to him were such that we should regret exceedingly to see him go over to the ring, and place himself at the mercy of a set of men who had always been his enemies, and who would not think of taking him up for any other purpose than to sacrifice him. The *Bulletin's* statement is false in many respects, as, for instance, in speaking of the conversation as only one and that of our seeking, but we did not conceal from anybody our preference for Dick Williams as the Independent candidate so long as we supposed him to be, as he professed to be, an anti-monopoly man a friend of the people instead of a tool of the ring. Much that passed between us was confidential, and we do not propose to repeat it, but it is revealing no confidence, nor stating anything but what we are abundantly able to substantiate by numerous witnesses, when we say that up to within one week of Dick Williams' nomination by the ring convention he was taking every opportunity to impress upon anti-ring men of Portland that he was opposed to the ring, damning Hipple and Scott especially, and swearing as few men besides himself can swear, that he would accept no nomination at their hands. Of course such conduct might "deceive the very elect."

We have been disappointed in Dick. When he declared his eternal hostility to all corrupt rings, always citing the Custom House railway ring of Portland as the most infamous of them, we thought him sincere. When he spoke in terms and tones of indignation at the outrages perpetrated upon the people by the railway monopolies, we supposed he meant that. And now it can not be less than a great disappointment to see him the acknowledged standard bearer of the Custom House railway ring, and reputed to be under pay from them, and hear him declaring on the stump that he *don't know how he would vote on the question of regulating freight and fare on the railways by law*. Such a complete surrender of his conscience and his very intellect to the monopolists is something we were not prepared for.

VERY THIN

The Eugene *Journal* takes us to task as follows:

> The OREGONIAN of the 22d with its characteristic fairness endeavors to create the impression that Postal Agent Underwood is guilty of misconduct in office in allowing the Eastern paper mail to be brought from San Francisco by steamer instead of overland and intimates that it is in pursuance of a bargain with Mr Holladay that it is so. If the OREGONIAN is not posted in regard to the duties of officers, it should get information before censuring one officer for the order made by another.

That is extremely thin. The Postmaster General orders these matters and the Postal Agent of the District, or of California has nothing whatever to do with it. Is that the defense? So much the worse. What is the Postal Agent for? If our testy little neighbor will endeavor to forget that it is owned and run by Federal officers long enough to examine into the duties of Postal Agents it will find that one of the most important of these is to ascertain and report all defects in the mail service, and where the mails could be carried so as to afford better accommodation to the public etc. If the mail service is being performed or neglected in the interest of some individual instead of for the benefit of the public, as this newspaper carrying contract is being performed in the interest of Holladay, it is for the Postal Agent to look after the matter and his recommendations will be heeded. It is well known in Oregon that when a new postoffice is wanted or a service on a new route required the way of getting it done has been to apply to the Postal Agent. He does not establish the new office or order the new route any more than he deprives the people of this country of their daily Eastern mail for Holladay's benefit, but his recommendations are of such weight that if the thing desired can be obtained at all he can obtain it, and this California mail imposition is so patent and so grievous that nothing is needed but for the Postal Agent to call the attention of the proper authorities to it. The present order of things is both unusual and unnecessary, besides being greatly inconvenient and expensive. Again we ask, Where is Postal Agent Underwood?

WHAT'S THE MATTER?

Talking about mail carrying reminds us of some little things in connection with that service on the Oregon railways. A day or two ago we received through the postoffice of this city a letter written at Hillsboro more than two weeks ago. On the outside of the envelope was the west side road's postmark dated the next day after the letter was written so that it had been vibrating for two weeks between Portland and St Joe or for the same length of time lying in the postoffice at the former place, before it reached our box. This remarkable instance of rapid transit may possibly be attributable to the fact that the nature of the letter was such as to make its immediate delivery important and its contents such as would not be peculiarly pleasant for the ring that control the railway, but we scarcely think this is the explanation.

And again. A subscriber at Gervais writes that the OREGONIAN sometimes fails to connect entirely, and at other times arrives a day late. This is on the route of the eastside railway. Now we have no right to object to the railway companies subsidizing the *Bulletin* to the amount of $1,200 a month to keep the concern on its pins, if they choose to do so. That is their own affair and we feel no disposition if we had the power, to interfere with their disposition of it. But we can not for a moment concede that the interest the railway feel in the political campaign, and the fact that the OREGONIAN does not favor ring government are to be considered a sufficient reason for discriminating against it in delivering the mails.

> WILLFUL OR UNINTENTIONAL.—Under the above caption the OREGONIAN of the 22d inst takes occasion to pronounce a reported statement of Hon Richard Williams to be an unqualified falsehood. We are informed by Mr Williams that he never made any such statement as referred to by the OREGONIAN. Will the OREGONIAN make the *amende honorable*?—*Eugene Journal*.

Yes gladly. We said in the article referred to that we thought we knew Williams' character well enough to say he would not be guilty of lying intentionally and that he might have been incorrectly reported or he might have acted upon misinformation. It is a pleasure now to be able to verify our estimate of him. The statement referred to is unqualifiedly false in letter and spirit and we are glad Dick Williams disavows it. But the *Journal* takes care to make it appear that we charged Dick with willful falsehood whereas in fact we plainly expressed our confidence that he was not guilty of this wrong. The *Journal* having presented the matter thus unfairly will it make the *amende honorable*?

Geo W McCrary the able and efficient Chairman of the House Committee on Railways and Canals has written a letter to his constituents of the First Congressional District of Iowa in which he says that he cannot under any circumstances consent to be a candidate for re-election. The people of Iowa can ill afford the loss of this energetic Representative. We need a few more like him in Congress. Hon James Beck another vigorous worker has also positively declined a re-election. Beck has been a strong partisan but he is an honest opponent as well and an indefatigable worker. We may as well mention too while we are on the subject that Mr Colfax, Mr Schuyler Colfax at one time Vice President of the United States has declined a similar honor. No one tendered Schuyler a nomination but he is none the less determined to refuse. He finds the society of [illegible] people far pleasanter than the intrusive familiarities of investigating committees at Washington.

[illegible] ON PAPER [illegible]

It is said that one of the most notable and interesting speeches of the session on the currency question was made by Hon S S Cox in the House April 7th. We quote the concluding paragraph:

> Gentlemen are familiar with Pope's Essay on Man. Read the opening of his third epistle,—
>
> Why did Heaven hide the shining mischief under ground?
>
> He does not give the answer in full, nor the answer of the economist. It was not hidden merely because the shining metal entered into trade as well as into luxury and the useful arts. [illegible] enlarges the sphere of lust and luxury [illegible] lures the pirate and corrupts the [illegible] that the captive Cleopatra should wear a chain [illegible] that Judas should sell his Master [illegible] in Wall street gambling houses [illegible]
>
> But paper credit [illegible] corruption lighter wings to fly.
>
> For one, I will by no vote add to the [illegible] fabulous prodigality of the times. By no vote will I add another feather to the wing of paper credit. Rather let us strip the plumage from these [illegible] presumptions and fix our future [illegible] the old foundations of public credit and the obligations of commercial honor.

At the conclusion of the address the members [illegible] Mr Cox with [illegible] and the galleries [illegible] with enthusiasm. Mr Luttrell, of California, sent to the orator his compliments with a bar of fine gold.

Mr J M Caywood will be the nominee of the Ring Republicans of this city and County for Sheriff. This is settled by the choice of delegates made at the primaries last Saturday. According to the best estimate we can make of the result he carried Central, South Portland, Madison, Morrison, North Portland and Grant precincts with an aggregate of [illegible] votes [illegible]. W W Spaulding carried Washington, Couch, Fulton and East Portland with [illegible] delegates. The precincts from which we have no definite returns are Multnomah, Willamette, Powell's Valley, Sandy, St John and Sauvie's Island. [illegible] Caywood should get none of these precincts he will still have two thirds of the Convention. It is common talk that if the primaries had been conducted fairly the result would have been widely different.

The Executive Committee of the Independents of Marion county have unanimously resolved to discountenance the practice of subsidizing newspapers for the campaign, declaring it to be both vicious and corrupt. They are right. A newspaper that has to be hired to advocate a cause should always be left to oppose it. The press of the country should be above the influence of bribes. When it is not, its statements of facts become unreliable, as its opinions are insincere, and it looses its character as a newspaper as well as its title to respect as a moral agency. The corrupting of the press cannot but have a vast influence on the corrupting of the consciences of the community.

The Supreme Court of California has just decided in the case of The People vs O Neil that in a criminal action a jury must, within the meaning of the Constitution, consist of twelve men even though the defendant consent to a less number. In the case referred to the defendant consented to be tried by a jury of eleven men and was found guilty of the offense alleged against him. On appeal he assigned as error the fact that there were but eleven men on the jury. The Court—full bench, all the justices concurring—held as above stated, reversed the judgment and remanded the cause for a second trial.

Some inquisitive Congressmen have not finished up the [illegible] debt business. More information is called for and a Washington dispatch says Attorney General Williams has informed the Committee of Expenditures in the Department of Justice, that he will soon furnish them with his contingent expense account. The Committee called for this statement some six weeks ago. It is said that a copy of the account was before the Senate Judiciary Committee when Mr Williams' nomination for Chief Justice was pending, and has been locked up in a committee secret ever since.

Dr Kenealy thinks he can secure a reversal of the Tichborne verdict if he can get a new trial and he has applied therefor to the Court of Queen's Bench. He bases his application on two grounds: first—Lord Chief Justice Cockburn's misdirection to the jury and second—that the verdict was contrary to the evidence. The Court decided against the applicant on the first point and reserved its decision on the second. A strong effort will be made to get the matter before Parliament.

A piquant lady correspondent of the New York *Tribune* writes from Madrid that Figueras and Castelar differ very radically in their opinions as to who are the real Republicans of Spain. Castelar maintains that the bourgeois class is Republican. Figueras denies this and says the Republic will succeed not because there are so many Republicans but because there are seven monarchical parties opposed to one another all of which prefer the Republic to the triumph of any other enemy.

What's in a name? Much, as the recent experience of a Chicago editor proves. Some frolicsome wag sent him a copy of Walt Whitman's ponderous "Prayer of Columbus" lately published with his own name affixed. The contribution was declined with thanks, and the editor volunteered this bit of advice by which Whitman himself might profit:

If the author will leave whisky alone he may yet rise to be the chief deck hand of a canal boat.

The Board of Supervisors of San Francisco did a very sensible thing a few days since in voting down by a large majority a resolution extending to Harry Meiggs an invitation in behalf of the city and county of San Francisco to return to his former home and take up his future residence there. This action is in pleasant contrast with the disgusting sycophancy of the Legislature.

The San Francisco Academy of Science is in hot water. Dr Blake, a leading savant, has preferred charges against certain members to the effect that they are managing the institution in the interests of a certain little ring of unscientific gentlemen. Blake alleges also that the persons in whose hands the magnificent donations of James Lick were placed are mismanaging the fund.

Castelar dabbles in literature occasionally still. His latest work is a novel entitled *Historia de un Corazon*—The Story of a Heart.

Good news of Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad bill. See dispatches.

STATE CAPITOL—INSANE ASYLUM

SALEM, April [illegible], 1874.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I wrote you that the expense of the Capitol Commission was [illegible]. See how it is made up. The Commissioners get [illegible] per day each; Secretary of the Board of Commissioners [illegible]; Superintendent of Construction [illegible] per day, and incidental expenses can not be far [illegible] which makes the [illegible]. [illegible] the law [illegible] the Capitol Commissionership [illegible] the Insane Asylum [illegible] the next two years [illegible] the State [illegible] the Capitol [illegible] the public interests will be promoted by diverting the future appropriations to the construction of an Asylum for the insane.

The storekeeper who [illegible] has an excellent assortment [illegible] just what they want at the lowest [illegible] ROBINSON [illegible] Be sure and look through it.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

T F Campbell and L F Grover candidates for Governor will speak at the following times and places:

Canyonville	Monday	April 27
Myrtle Creek	Tuesday	28
Roseburg	Wednesday	29
Oakland	Thursday	30
Eugene City	Friday	May 1
Albany	Saturday	[illegible]
Corvallis	Monday	[illegible]
Dallas	Wednesday	[illegible]
Lafayette	Thursday	[illegible]
Salem	Saturday	[illegible]
Oregon City	Monday	11
Portland	Tuesday	[illegible]
Hillsboro	Wednesday	[illegible]
The Dalles	Friday	[illegible]
[illegible]	Monday	[illegible]
Weston	Tuesday	[illegible]
[illegible]	Thursday	[illegible]
Baker City	Saturday	[illegible]

Speaking to begin promptly at [illegible] P M [illegible] places it will [illegible] P M.

INDEPENDENT STATE TICKET.

For Congress,
T W DAVENPORT of Marion

For Governor,
T F CAMPBELL, of Polk

For Secretary of State,
J H DOUTHITT, of Wasco

For Treasurer,
D BEACH, of Linn

For State Printer
W M HAND of Wasco

For Superintendent of Public Instruction
M M OGLESBY, of Douglas

DISTRICT NOMINATIONS

SECOND DISTRICT—For Judge JOHN BURNETT For Prosecuting Attorney J J WALTON

THIRD DISTRICT—For Prosecuting Attorney [illegible] MONFORD

FIFTH DISTRICT—For Prosecuting Attorney ORLANDO HUMASON

PEOPLE'S JUDICIAL TICKET

FOURTH DISTRICT—For Judge E D SHATTUCK For Prosecuting Attorney H Y THOMPSON

MARRIED.

In McMinnville Mr J N Hibbs and Miss Ella Roberts.

In Tacoma April 12 Mr Thos H Coon and Miss Delia McNeal

Near the Cascades April [illegible] Mr Marcus L Hogan and Miss Emma J Girty

DIED:

Near Sublimity, Marion county April [illegible], Paul Darst aged [illegible] years

In Marion county April 24 Mrs Hattie Thompson

In Benton county April 10 Mrs [illegible] Wilbanks aged [illegible] years

In Port Townsend W T April 14 Cyrus Britt

In Oakland March 18 Mr Philip Chalmers of Gardiner City. Peace be to his soul.

Alas it is delusion all
The future cheats us from afar
Nor can we be what we recall
Nor dare we think on what we are

NEW TO-DAY.

THE PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AT FABRE'S Central Market, will be made this week.

REMOVAL.

DR PILKINGTON HAS REMOVED HIS RESIDENCE to Judge Lagus' house S W corner of Sixth and Salmon streets. ap27 1m

WANTED,

A COMPETENT PERSON TO DO GENERAL housework. A German preferred. Apply at C A ALISKY'S Third street between Morrison and Alder.

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ONE MORE LOT OF EXTRA FINE SHOALWATER bay OYSTERS
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"REPORTED UPON FAVORABLY"

WERE THE WORDS OF A PRIVATE DISpatch yesterday from Old New [illegible] in reference to the Salt Lake Railroad. They are also the frank expression of a multitude of patrons who buy their Cigars at Hart's Metropolitan Cigar Store corner First and Washington streets. ap27 1t

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Lawns, Chambrays, Percales, Linens, Figured Muslins, Col'd and Black Iron Grenadines at bargains. Shawls, Lace Embroidery, Hosiery, Furnishing Goods at Low Prices. LADIES & CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR [illegible] Ruches, Ties, Scarfs, Fichus, Vests, Jewelry [illegible]

MRS. H. ACH.

CARLETON HAS OPENED!

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. THE FIRM OF EMIL LOWENSTEIN & CO HAS [illegible] by mutual consent. Either one of the undersigned is authorized to receive pay [illegible]. All accounts [illegible]
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LOWENSTEIN,
HOLMAN.
Portland [illegible]

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PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock A M
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FOR ASTORIA—Monday Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M
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FOR MONTICELLO, via Willamette Slough—Monday Wednesday and Friday at 7 A M
FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M
S G REED Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's STEAMBOATS.

Notice. FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept 22d, the steamer E. N. COOKE Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7:30 A M for Portland, returning, will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2:30 P M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 6:15 A M, connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Tuesday and Friday, connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 3 P M on Wednesday and Saturday for Portland. THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C R R Co, at REDUCED RATES.

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE. Freight received until 5 P M. J D BILES Agent.

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Passage to Albany	1 50
Passage to Salem	1 00

B. GOLDSMITH, President.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

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WILL MAKE TRI WEEKLY TRIPS between Portland, Monticello and Freeport, Leaving American Exchange Wharf every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 8 o'clock A M calling in at Lewis River on Wednesday up and Thursday down. Will come up Willamette Slough on Monday and go down the Slough on Tuesdays. For Freight or Passage apply on board.

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THE A 1 BARK MIDAS, Will leave New York between the Fifth and Fifteenth of May next, direct for Portland. For Freight at lowest rates apply to CHARLES DIMON Shipping and Commission Merchant, Nos 9 South [illegible] Liberty [illegible] New York. New York, April 1 1874.

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Regular and Peremptory Sale OF REAL ESTATE, FURNITURE, GROCERIES, GENERAL MERCHANDISE, [illegible] I will sell at my Auction Salesroom WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1874, At 10 o'clock A. M. FURNITURE. BEDROOM DININGROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE. ALSO 10 boxes NATURAL LEAF TOBACCO. ALSO 10 bxs CANDLES, 15 bxs Family SOAP, 5 bxs Toilet SOAP, 15 bxs SAPORINE. ALSO cases men's Beaver HATS. A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

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We keep a Full Stock of MILLINERY GOODS Such as Hats, latest styles, Flowers, [illegible] SOLD EXCEEDINGLY LOW. COUNTRY ORDERS SOLICITED. B HAMBURGER, Agt, Cor First and Salmon.

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MONDAY MORNING APRIL [illegible] 187[illegible]

CITY.

[illegible] Clerk of District [illegible] who has [illegible] suddenly disappeared from [illegible] for two [illegible] Thursday morning [illegible]

ON THE WAY.—The steamer [illegible] from San Francisco for this port last Saturday forenoon. She brings the following passengers: W J Halsey wife and servant, Geo W Weidler, Jas O'Meara, [illegible] J A Harris, [illegible] D L Thompson and family [illegible]

CENTENNIAL DAY.—This being the 55th anniversary of the introduction of the Order of Odd Fellows into the United States the members of the several lodges in the city and invited guests from abroad will celebrate the event with appropriate exercises to-day. Efforts have been put forth to make the celebration the largest of the kind which has ever been given in the State, and from the extensive character of the arrangements thus far made the affair promises to be a success. At 1 o'clock the procession will form at the Odd Fellows Temple and headed by music, the members of the different lodges together with invited guests and delegations from abroad clad in the regalia of the Order will march through the principal streets [illegible] Masonic Hall. At that place the exercises of the day will take place. Mr C W Parrish is Orator of the occasion, C C Phillips Grand Marshal, Jacob Thompson President and J Kelly Chaplain. When the exercises are concluded the procession will reform and march to the Odd Fellows Temple, and there disband.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—A Stoner a brewer employed in H Ludwig's establishment in East Portland had a very narrow escape on last Saturday afternoon. [illegible] hitched the horse to the mill where the barley is ground, and started the animal. While the machine was in motion Stoner attempted to climb up on the box where the driver sits. One foot slipped and the bottom of the right trousers leg was caught in the cog wheels. The belt at the top of the shaft was broken by the great strain brought to bear [illegible] fortunately at that moment Mr Ludwig [illegible] the rescue [illegible] Had not the belt snapped the limb would have been ground to pieces. [illegible] scratched and bruised.

LEG [illegible].—Last Saturday afternoon a young man named Archie Cornart met with a severe [illegible] in East Portland. He was riding rapidly along I street and [illegible] Fourth turned suddenly [illegible] that street. The street was very slippery in consequence of the late rain, and the animal's feet slipped from under it in making the turn. In falling one of Cornart's legs was caught under the animal and was severely bruised. Several persons who witnessed the accident came to his assistance and young Cornart was extricated from his position of peril. No bones were broken but the limb is badly bruised [illegible] will confine the young man to the house several days.

FINE HORSES COMING.—Mr Bigham of Wasco county will arrive in this city by the steamer from San Francisco due to-morrow evening [illegible] three very fine stallions imported from [illegible]. One of them is a chestnut stallion called Geo Wilkes by Asteroid out of Emma [illegible] by imp Margrave. Another is a bay stallion called [illegible] by Lexington dam [illegible] by imp Glencoe. A very fine [illegible] seven years old [illegible] by Lexington [illegible] Yorkshire. Mr Bigham owns a large stock ranch in Wasco county and these horses will be a great acquisition to this State as well [illegible] generally.

TO ODD FELLOWS.—We have been requested to make the following requests: All members of the Order in good standing are invited to be at the Odd Fellows' Temple [illegible] at [illegible] o'clock to-day to participate in the procession. Ladies of the Rebekah Degree [illegible] at the Hall. [illegible]

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING APRIL 27 1874

CITY.

SUDDEN DISAPPEARANCE —Mr Robt J Ladd who has been School Clerk of District No 1, for two years, suddenly disappeared from the gaze of the public last Thursday morning He must have taken the morning train southward, for on Thursday evening he is reported to have been seen at Oakland It is claimed that he is defaulter to a considerable amount of the school money the exact amount of which is not known but as near as can be determined is estimated at about $13 000 As yet the amount of defalcation has not been definitely determined as Mr Ladd left his books and papers in a confused condition No suspicions were entertained that all was not right, and the report that Ladd had absconded with a considerable sum of money created great surprise Not until Friday was it known that he had decamped From all which can be learned, it is very probable that he is bound for Coos Bay intending when he arrives there to embark on a sailing vessel It is intimated that he intends going to South America as a temporary change of climate will doubtless be conducive to his good health An officer armed with the necessary papers started in pursuit on Saturday morning and it is thought the fugitive will soon be overhauled and brought back Yesterday the report was current on the streets that Ladd had taken with him the official bond But little credence can be attached to this rumor, as the bond was on file, and it would be a difficult matter to come into his possession His bondsmen are H F Bloch, Al Zieber A P Dennison and David Simson In a few days we shall probably be able to publish something more definite in relation to this absconding gentleman

ON THE WAY —The steamer *John L Stephens* sailed from San Francisco for this port last Saturday forenoon She brings the following passengers W L Halsey wife and servant, Geo W Weidler Jas O Mearn, Miss O'Mearn, F N Blair, L S Skiff W K Mendenhoff J P Vollmer, J A Harris, E W Moore, P P Thompson and family, Mrs Lacaverne, Mrs Thos Gallagher, E S Smith, J Anchencloss and wife, J Anchencloss, Jr, A P Dennison, A Myers and family, H H Foster and family Miss C Levy, Miss L [illegible], Tong Duck Chung, A T Yeaman, T Baldwin J Richardson S A Whiting, W H Bigham, C F Buck L P W Quimby, [illegible] and family, Mrs Schwabacker Mrs C Lamberson and daughter, Mrs L Green, W S Carter J Messing, W S Childs S Ackerman wife and child Mrs L Rowley, Mrs A Smith Mrs McCann Mrs C B Smith, S A Rosenblatt, H Eckler H Berg, Mrs P Kennel and two children P A Gale and family J. Werner and wife, J L Marsh and wife, R. Shaw, W M Wallace and family, T W Breeze and family C H Hill and wife Mrs J C. Richardson and two children, Mrs S F Walls and two children, and [illegible] in the steerage.

CELEBRATION TO-DAY —This being the 55th anniversary of the introduction of the Order of Odd Fellowship into the United States the members of the several lodges in the city and invited guests from abroad will celebrate the event with appropriate exercises to-day Efforts have been put forth to make this celebration the largest of the kind which has ever been given in the State, and from the extensive [illegible] of the arrangements thus far made, the affair [illegible] to be a grand success At 1 o clock the procession will form at the Odd Fellows' Temple, and headed by music the members of the different lodges together with invited guests, and delegations from abroad, dressed in the regalia of the Order, will march through the principal streets and up to Masonic Hall. At that place the exercises of the day will take place. Mr C W Parrish is Orator of the occasion, C C Phillips Grand Marshal, Jacob Thompson, President, and P Kelly, [illegible] When the exercises are concluded, the [illegible] will reform and march to the Odd Fellows' Temple, and there disband

A NARROW ESCAPE.—A Steiner, a brewer employed in H Ludwig's establishment in East Portland, had a very narrow escape on last [illegible]day afternoon He had just hitched the horse to the mill where the barley is [illegible] and started the animal While the [illegible] was in motion, Steiner attempted to [illegible] up on the box where the driver sits [illegible] his foot slipped and the bottom of the right trousers leg was caught in the cog wheels The belt at the top of the shaft was broken by the great strain brought to bear, and fortunately at the moment Mr Ludwig came to the rescue [illegible] Had not the belt snapped, the limb would have been ground to pieces As it was the leg was considerably scratched and bruised

LEG HURT —Last Saturday afternoon a young man named Archie Cornart met with a severe accident in East Portland He was riding rapidly along L street and coming to the intersection of Fourth turned suddenly up that street. The street was very slippery in consequence of the late rain, and the animal's feet slipped from under it in making the turn In falling one of Cornart s legs was caught under the horse and was severely bruised Several persons who witnessed the accident came to his assistance and young Cornart was extricated from his position of peril No bones were broken but the limb is badly bruised and will confine the young man to the house for several days

FINE HORSES COMING —Mr Bigham of Wasco county, will arrive in this city by the steamer from San Francisco, due to morrow evening, with three very fine stallions imported from the East. One of them is a chestnut stallion called Gen. Wilkes by Asteroid, out of Emma Wright by imp Margrave Another is a bay stallion called Luther by Lexington dam Belle Lewis, by imp Glencoe A very fine sorrel stallion seven years old completes the list. He is also by Lexington, dam Vero[illegible], by imp Yorkshire Mr Bigham owns a large stock-ranch in Wasco county, and these horses will be a great acquisition to this State as well as the coast generally

TO ODD FELLOWS.—We have been requested to make the following requests All members of the Order in good standing are invited to be at the Odd Fellows' Temple *promptly* at a quarter to 1 o clock to day, to participate in the pr[illegible]s. Ladies of the Rebekah Degree are invited to be early at the Hall Much unnecessary delay will be avoided by a strict observance of these requests At precisely 1 o'clock the procession will be formed, and [illegible] Long is expected to be in readiness All persons desirous of attending the ball in the evening, who have not received invitations can procure tickets at Messrs Alisky & Heacle and any of the proper committees

ARION PIANO —This is to give notice that the raffle for the Arion Piano Sewing Machine &c, on exhibition at H. L Herman s [illegible] Agency and Collection Office, is postponed until further notice, owing to the large number of chances remaining unsold at this time. Persons holding tickets and unwilling to wait, can have this money refunded by calling at the above mentioned place on Stark street, between Front and First Notice of time and place of the raffle will be given in the future.

NEW GRANGES ORGANIZED —Deputy Organizer Jacob Johnson organized a Grange on Sauvie's Island, in Columbia county, on the 20th with 23 charter members John McIntyre Master name of Grange Sauvie's Island Also, Scappoose Grange Columbia county on the 21st, with 13 members W W Mars Master. Also Western Star Grange on Sauvie s Island Multnomah county on the 22d with [illegible] charter members Wm Frazer Master

EXCURSION PROPOSED —An excursion of Coos Bay folks to this city is talked of to take place next fall. We are certain our citizens will treat those who come in the best manner possible. Though isolated from interior points in the State, Coos Bay can brag of being second to none [illegible] of importance to any other locality in the State.

HELD FOR POSTAGE.—Letters addressed as follows, were held in the San Francisco post office April 20: Carlo Ferretto Eugene Lang[illegible] and George Grant, Portland, Oregon Al Borke, Port Gamble, W. T; J D Ellis Port Ludlow W T

RETURNED —Mr A Bartsch has returned from a country trip He is, as usual prepared to attend to all orders for Piano Tuning and [illegible] Wareroom, Corner Salmon and [illegible] streets.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Odd Fellows celebrate to day

Grand ball at Masonic Hall this evening

Now is the time to get up rowing matches

Only one base-ball broken skull has been reported thus far this year

If you are buying a carpet for durability you must choose small figures

Green should be the prevailing color for bed hangings and window drapery

The brig *Orient* arrived at San Francisco on the 19th inst four days from the mouth of the Columbia with 335 000 feet of lumber

Correspondents writing to Marshland should add Columbia county as there is a Marshfield in Coos county The names are so much alike that confusion is apt to occur

The California and Oregon Stage Co will commence on Summer time the 1st of May next making the trip in 32 hours from rail road to railroad and 21 hours from the rail road terminus to Yreka

It is reported that hemp when the blossoms are just opened is an infallible preservative of textile fabrics against the attacks of moths The stalk with leaves and flowers is cut when blooming, (about July) and dried in the shade It is said to preserve its properties for several years

The San Francisco *Chronicle* of the 21st says this of the *Panther* sale "The wreck of the ship *Panther* now lying off Narrow Island Trincomalee channel, B C together with 1,750 tons of coal, sold at auction at the Merchants Exchange, yesterday for $2 000 Meier & Frank as we stated a few days ago were the purchasers

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Last Saturday at 4 o clock P M the Republican Primaries for this county were held The object was to elect delegates to attend the County Convention which will meet in this city next Saturday at 1 o clock for the purpose of putting a county ticket in the field The following delegates were elected

Central Precinct—J H Lyon, B Milwain J Legrand

South Portland—F C Congdon H B Oatman P Harbaugh, James Lotan, F J W Steinme

Madison—J Simon D Monastes William Groomes, A F Turner, J R Witherell, J L Thomas

Morrison—T J Johnson J Mayer William Dellinger S L Stone C L Smith, H Garling

North Portland—D McKercher J Brindle H Ackerman, L Blum

Fulton—Thomas Stephens

Washington—A J Watson S B Morse

Couch—M Bills, R O Bailey Stephen Thomas, H Rothfos James Rankin

Oregon—M Peterson

North East Portland—C Bartel G Virgil

Grant—G Tibbetts A J Hoyt, P Kelly

East Portland—N Kennedy B F Ausmus

BASE BALL NOTES.

The Crescent Base Ball Club of this city got away with their competitors the Star Club of Vancouver at that place on Saturday The figures were twenty three to eleven indicating that a splendid game was played Each club received three goose eggs Time of game two hours W A Hart, of the Arcadian Club umpired satisfactorily

On Saturday evening the Pioneers were organized for early play, the first nine being selected. The players will be Oliver pitcher, Gearin catcher; Sutherland, 1st base Whiting, 2d base, Barker (new man) 3d base Wiley, short stop J Raleigh, left field Thompson, center field, [illegible] right field Joe Wiley was unanimously chosen Captain The nine is an excellent one and we await with anxiety the opening game with their rivals the Arcadians

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Next Friday evening the Anderson Drum Corps will hold a ball at Armory Hall, the proceeds to be applied towards purchasing an outfit The price of tickets have been reduced to one dollar affording those who have found the price originally fixed too high, an opportunity to invest

Prominent among the social gatherings of the present season, we note the grand ball which will be given this evening at Masonic Hall, by the Odd Fellows of the city No efforts will be spared to render the affair all that could be desired Already a large number of tickets have been disposed of and the capacious hall will doubtless be jammed Good music has been engaged for the occasion and all necessary arrangements completed It will doubtless be one of the most brilliant social successes of the year

THE STAGE.

Leon Samwells is at Wilson's Amphitheater San Francisco, Cal

Kate Denin was at the San Jose Cal, opera house on the 16th inst

Omar Kingsley was "benefited" at the Amphitheater San Francisco, on the 22d inst

Laura and Harry Clark, gymnasts and Harry Howard the banjoist, were in Grass Valley Cal on the 14th inst

On the 10th inst J H Vinson appeared in his favorite character Haversack in the 'Old Guard' for his benefit at the Salt Lake Theater

AMUSEMENTS.

The initiatory advertisement relative to the grand entertainment in aid of the Home appears in another column The talent announced is sufficient to warrant an excellent programme We shall refer at length to the affair at another time

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation Portland Oregon, April 25, 1874

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	[illegible]°	66°	50°
Wind direction	Calm	S W	Calm
velocity miles per hour		6	
Weather	Cloudy	Fair	Cloudy
Rainfall			02 inches

COOS BAY ITEMS

Says our Empire City correspondent under date of April 22d

Simpson Bros new tug building at San Francisco is expected here in six weeks

On the 10th inst the wrecked schooner *Jennie Thelin* was placed on Luse's ways for repairs

The Arago Lodge I O O F will celebrate on the 27th (to-day) by a procession and ball

Twenty passengers arrived per [illegible] on the 17th inst Eight passengers were landed at Port Orford

The steamer *L* [illegible] took away on her last trip to San Francisco 5 200 pieces of last-wood 470 tons of coal and 200 boxes of apples

The amount of money apportioned to support the several school districts in this county for the year ending March 1st, 1874, was $[illegible]

Bay City is the name given to the new town opposite Marshfield Improvements are in order and we may soon see wharves hotels stores etc spring up

The arrivals since the [illegible] inst were the schooners [illegible] steamer [illegible] and brig [illegible] Sailed brig [illegible] schooners [illegible]

Spring suits late styles
Boys Clothing,—just the thing
Hats for all—Everything new
Furnishing Goods every description
A varied stock largest in the city
The [illegible]
[illegible] to suit the times
And the place is
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Front and Washington sts

SPRING STYLES —A [illegible] of the spring style in Clothing and Furnishing Goods by Mr J D [illegible] of [illegible] & CO while in San Francisco [illegible] the selection of everything new and that [illegible] Their customers and the public generally are invited to call and examine the new arrival Mr S[illegible] selects expressly to suit Portland trade and the new goods will be sure to please the most fastidious

Oppression after eating, headache nervous debility are the effects of indigestion One or two at most of *Parsons Purgative Pills* will give immediate relief

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THE FRENCH SURGEONS ANNOUNCE that Consumption is not incurable But they don't cure it The only remedy that [illegible] the object is Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute

MULTNOMAH COUNTY TEMPERANCE CONVENTION

PORTLAND April 25 1874

Convention called to order by F W Ryan A G Walling was elected temporary Chairman W S James temporary Secretary

Committee of five on Credentials appointed consisting of Messrs Turner Yates Stanbury Kern and Acton

Committee on Resolutions and Permanent Organization appointed consisting of Messrs Hosford Ryan and Prettyman

After recess the Convention was called to order and the Committee on Credentials reported the following delegates entitled to seats

Mr Chairman and gentlemen of Multnomah County Temperance Convention Your Committee on Credentials beg leave to report the following named persons entitled to seats in this Convention

North Portland—[illegible] Austin A H Buck[illegible] J N Morgan Thomas Burns W H Black

East Portland—Jas [illegible]well (by M Hosford proxy) J M Claggett, D F Kelly John Turk and [illegible]

West [illegible]—C W Gay H H Crosier [illegible] Rosenthal, Dr S Nelson H W Prettyman

M[illegible]—J W [illegible] G H Watkins H S Allen E Ormsby J J Allen

Madison—J A Smith James Cummings A G Walling J B Garrison J I Heroy

South Portland—C [illegible] Yates F A Stearns R Lord P W Carroll W S James

North [illegible]—J B Roberts E Turner J M James T L Suits W K Struble

Willamette—A [illegible] Tullen M Burlingame S Scott I J Stransbury A Burns

Grant—James Stewart John Pugh H Kelly J W Kern Rev J Hoberg (by Rev C Kelly proxy)

[illegible] TURNER Chairman
C P YATES Secretary

Committee on Order of Business and Present Organization reported as follows

To Multnomah County Convention Your Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business would respectfully submit the following for your adoption For Chairman A G Walling for Secretary W S James for Assistant Secretary Enoch Turner

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1 Report of Committee on Credentials
2 Appointment of Committee on Resolutions and Platform
3 Election of seven delegates to State Convention
4 Consideration of what political action is necessary

F W RYAN
M HOSFORD
H W PRETTYMAN

Committee on Resolutions by the Chair as follows T L Suits Dr Nelson F N Morgan, H Kelley and J B Garrison

The following persons were elected to the State Convention Rev C Kelly A G Walling C P Yates L N Morgan, F W Ryan N Turner

Committee submitted their report The following was adopted

Resolved That when this Convention adjourn it adjourn to meet on the 6th day of May, 1874 and that the Committee on Resolutions be instructed to prepare such declaration of principles and platform as the exigencies of the time may require and present the same for action to the Convention at that time

Speeches were made by Rev C Kelly H Kelly J W Kern, H H Crosier F W Ryan C P Yates M Hosford C W Gay and others

After considerable discussion the Convention adjourned to meet May 6th 1874

A G WALLING, Chairman
W S JAMES Secretary

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JAMES QUINN
Proprietor Union Fish Market, Washington st.
P O Box [illegible] ap13d1m

Knights of Pythias.—Mystic Lodge No 2 holds regular Conventions on Thursday Evening of each week at 7½ o clock at the Castle Hall N W cor First and Taylor streets Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend By order of the Lodge ED WILCOX K R S

Hassalo Lodge No 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7½ o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend By order of N G

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o cl k, in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

Harmony Encampment No. 4, C of R. C.—Meets Tuesday Evenings at Good Templars' Hall corner Third and Alder streets at 7½ o clock.

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M J McConnell Yamhill
Thos Roman
Mrs Chapman [illegible]
Mrs J N Foster Astoria
W T Shaw
J H Price Kalama
H B Ufler [illegible] Fran
Chas Wilson Victoria
Francis Rigby San Fran
A A Miller [illegible]
Mr B [illegible]

H C Bynes Pt Adam
S G Miller San Fran
S M Smith
G H Shaw [illegible]
Capt J M Richardson & wife ship [illegible]
C J Mathews Clackamas
S D Hard San Fran
John McInt[illegible]
W H [illegible] Butteville
[illegible] Cote
E W Shortridge Salem

ST CHARLES HOTEL

Nels [illegible] Salem
R W Wilson
F Fleming
G W S[illegible]
N Y
J J Baldwin Walla W
Mrs Smith
Mrs Fox

C B F [illegible] Cal
W H Wilbnot Beaverton
N Knof [illegible] Astoria
A T L[illegible]
J Creighton
T [illegible]wart
H Claypool & wf Albany

METROPOLITAN HOTEL

A J Hunt [illegible]
[illegible] Jackson Victoria
C W [illegible] Willow Creek
J D W [illegible] Eagle Cliff
Wesley Eh[illegible]
J F Mitchell Van[illegible]
[illegible]
John Kelly Ogn City
J Smith [illegible]land

M Linden Canyon City
R M Porter Forest Gv
C H [illegible] Vancouver
W A Clark Astoria
S Williams Salem
Ben Hayden Polk Co
J N Lindley Dexter Eugene
[illegible] Brown Monmouth
Wm Mullin Ogn City

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

C Decker [illegible]
J C [illegible] Tualatin
J Huntington Cowlitz
J Paquet & wf Ogn City
M Bigman
J H [illegible]
G J Morrow Hillsboro
J H [illegible] Salem
W W Beach Buena Vista

L Moor Davis
J C McKay Vancouver
Jas Stephens Yamhill
Miss Mary Phillips Mill Waukie
I F Featherstone Corvs
B Brown Woodburn
[illegible] Eugene
W I Strunck New York

AMERICAN EXCHANGE

Dr J Williams Wasco
J E Johnson & wf N Y
J D Brown Albany
J D Davis Salem
Courtney Meek Hillsboro
Mrs Clements Champoeg
J Bullet Columbia Falls
Mrs Guffiss & children Corvallis
Mrs Lucy Hines [illegible]
S L Barton Olympia
S Yeager

Capt J H Rivers Pt Gmbl
Jno H Starr Astoria
J D Spurlock Olympia
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All of which I will [illegible] sold for
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DECISION IN THE U S CIRCUIT COURT BY JUDGE DEADY

United States Circuit Court—District of Oregon

Charles E Tilton v The Oregon Central Military Road Co and T T McKenzie

An assessment of real property should substantially comply with the requirements of the statute (Or Code p 898) which requires each tract or parcel of land to be designated according to the U S surveys, if it be a subdivision of the same, or otherwise by specific metes and bounds or other certain description—therefore an assessment of the O C M R Co of 196,008 99-100 of acres of land in Jackson county in gross without any other designation or description of the same is void for uncertainty

An assessment of real property which contains no valuation of the same except this—"Total value of taxable property 245 011" there being no other mark or sign to indicate whether such figures were intended to represent eagles dollars cents or mills or other thing capable of being numbered is void for uncertainty

A court of equity will restrain the collection of an illegal tax upon real property where the enforcement of the same will result in a cloud being cast upon the title thereof

Under the laws of Oregon (Ses Laws 1865 p 10) a tax deed is primary evidence of title and the regularity of the prior proceedings which evidence can only be overcome by the proof of certain facts *dehors* the deed—therefore the same casts a cloud upon the title of the property

DEADY J —*Saturday April 25* 1874

This is a motion for a provisional injunction It was argued and submitted on April 18, 1874, upon the bill—no one appearing for the defendants

It appears from the bill, that the complainant is a citizen of New York, that the defendant, "The O C M R Co" is a corporation formed under the laws of Oregon with a capital stock of $100,000 divided into 400 shares of $250 each, and the defendant, McKenzie, is the Sheriff of Jackson county, Or that the O C M R Co is the owner in fee of a large number of acres of land in said county in 300 and odd distinct parcels, particularly described by Township Section and Range and the plaintiff is the owner of thirty one shares of the capital stock of said Co that said Co is assessed upon the assessment roll of Jackson county for 1873 as the owner of 196,008 99-100 acres of land in said county, in gross, without any other designation or description thereof and without any valuation of the same other than this— Total value of taxable property, 245 011 that the taxes levied upon the lands so assessed to said Co by the proper authorities of said county amount to $4,410 20, and the same will be collected by the defendant McKenzie by the sale of said lands or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose, and a cloud be thereby cast upon the title of said Co, unless restrained by the order of this court, and that said assessment is illegal and void for want of certainty in the description and valuation of said lands

That this assessment is illegal and void there is no room for doubt The law prescribes that the assessor in making an assessment of real property shall set down in the assessment roll in separate columns the following

1 A description of each tract or parcel of land to be taxed, specifying under separate heads, the township, range and section in which the land lies, or if divided into lots and blocks, then the number of the lot and block

2 The number of acres and parts of an acre as near as the same can be ascertained, unless the land be divided into blocks and lots

3 The full cash value of each parcel of land taxed.

4 In case the land be other than a subdivision of the U S survey, or lots and blocks, it must be described by specific metes and bounds, or otherwise, so as *to make the description certain* Or Code, p 898

In the case under consideration the assessment roll contains no description of the land whatever except that there is in all 196 008 99-100 acres situate somewhere in Jackson county Neither the township, range or section or the metes and bounds of the tract or any parcel or portion of it is given

Neither is there any cash value given in this roll of the whole or any portion of this land It should have contained a valuation of each parcel and of the whole The figures "245 011" entered in the column, headed, "Total valuation of taxable property," do not indicate any value. They are mere numerals signifying an abstract number

In Hurlburt v Butenop, 27 Cal, 54 and People v Savings Union 31 Cal, 135, it was held that an assessment was void for want of a valuation of the property, where the figures in the valuation column were entered without any mark or sign to indicate whether they were intended to represent eagles dollars, cents or mills Say the Court in the latter case—"In the assessment roll, in the column headed 'valuation,' there is nothing whatever to indicate what the figures are intended to represent, and, under the authorities cited, we are not authorized to say they mean dollars. They are simply numerals—barren figures —that are as often employed to indicate anything else that may be numbered as dollars, or, if money is indicated, the denominations may be either eagles dollars cents or mills"

But this assessment is clearly void on account of the omission to describe the lands and each separate parcel thereof by legal subdivisions according to the U S survey, or by specific metes and bounds or in such other manner as to make the description certain, as required by law

The question has not been passed on by the Supreme Court of the State, but in Keeny v Abbott 13 Cal 616, an assessment was held void because the statute was not substantially complied with in the matter of the description of the property This case has been followed by Tachman v Clark, 14 Cal 133 Moss v Shear, 25 Cal. 44 People v Sneath et al., 28 Cal 615 Smith v. Davis, 30 Cal 537 People v Savings Union, 31 Cal 135 and Taylor v Donner, Ib 481

The ruling in these cases was recently followed in Huntington v The Central Pacific Railroad Company et al in the U S C C Dis of Cal (See Pacific L R, Vol 7, No. 4), where an assessment of the defendant's railway in several counties of the State was held void and the collection of the tax thereon restrained because the same was "not made in accordance with the provisions of the statute" in the matter of the description of the land or lands upon which the ties and rails were laid

But although the assessment is illegal and void, that fact alone is not sufficient to authorize the interference of a court of equity, to restrain the collection of the tax

It must appear that the enforcement of the tax would lead to a multiplicity of suits, or produce irreparable injury, or where the property is real estate, throw a cloud upon the title of the complainant, before the aid of a court of equity can be invoked" Dows v City of Chicago, 11 Wal 110, Ewing v St Louis 5 Wal 418 Hanniwinkle v Georgetown, 15 Wal 548 Coulson v Portland, 1 Deady 487 Moores v Smedley, 6 John Ch. 30.

According to the allegations of the bill, and the course of proceedings prescribed by the law of this State, the defendant McKenzie, if not restrained, will proceed to levy upon and sell the lands of the O C M R Co, or sufficient thereof to pay this tax and the costs of the proceedings, and in due time thereafter will make and deliver a deed therefor to the purchaser, which upon its face will pass the title and carry with it the presumption that all the proceedings, preliminary thereto were done and had in accordance with law which presumption can only be overcome by proof of either

"1. Fraud in the assessment or collection of the tax "

2 Payment of the tax before sale or redemption after sale

3 That the property was sold for taxes for which the owner of the property at the time of the sale was not liable, and that no part of the tax was levied or assessed upon the property sold" (Ses Laws 1865, p 10)

The deed must contain a description of the property *sold*—but of the preliminary proceedings, it need only state the amount bid, the year in which the tax was levied that it was unpaid at the time of sale and that two years had since elapsed and no redemption had

The description required to be inserted in the deed is of the property *sold* and although the description on the assessment roll may be so insufficient as to render the assessment void it does not follow that that fact will appear in the deed The collector may levy upon any one or more of the 300 and odd distinct parcels of real property belonging to the O C M R Co, in Jackson county, and sell and convey the same by proper and sufficient description on account of the non payment of this tax A warrant for the collection of delinquent taxes is to be deemed an execution against property and executed as such. (Or Code p 900)

It is not clear that the legal effect of such a deed could be avoided unless it was held that the tax for which the land was sold was not levied or assessed thereon, because of the insufficiency of the description and valuation in the assessment roll The assessment could not be held fraudulent because simply *insufficient or erroneous* A mistake or omission is not necessarily a fraud

But, however this may be this deed would at least cast a cloud upon the title As was said by the Court in Huntington v the Central Pacific R Co et al supra— It would only be necessary for the plaintiff to produce his deed to show title It would then devolve upon the defendant to show affirmatively by evidence *dehors* the deed such fatal defects in the assessment as the [illegible] admissible to show under the provisions of [illegible] the [illegible] it [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] and this brings it within the test by which the question is determined whether a deed would be a cloud upon title established in this State by the decisions of the Supreme Court

In Pixley v Huggins 15 Cal 133, the rule by which to determine whether a deed would cast a cloud upon the title or not was stated as follows Would the owner of the property in an action of ejectment brought by the adverse party founded on the deed be required to offer evidence to defeat the recovery? If such proof would be necessary the cloud would exist if no proof would be necessary no shade would be cast by the presence of the deed"

It appearing then that the assessment and tax are invalid and that if the collection of the tax is enforced it will necessarily result in a deed being made to the property or some portion of it which will cast a cloud upon the title thereof the complainant is entitled to an injunction

Let a writ of injunction issue according to the prayer of the bill until the further order of this Court.

Cyrus Dolph and *I C Bronn* [illegible] for complainant

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING April 25 1874

Gold in New York 112¾

Portland Legal Tenders buying 8 selling 87

Gold bars are quotable at 725@750 fine.

Exchange on New York ½ per cent premium for currency and one per cent. premium for gold

Exchange on San Francisco at ¾ of 1 per cent premium

Wheat in Liverpool via mail advices from San Francisco 12s 9d@13s for average California, and 13s@13s 4d for club

In our local market we find a gradually increasing ease owing to the fact that the flow of money is now rather toward the trade centers than to the interior the bulk of the crops having been moved and the people who were receiving pay for their grain and other produce during last fall and winter, are now paying it out for spring supplies agricultural implements etc Thus at this season it is natural that the circulating capital of the country should gravitate toward the larger towns and cities but it is only to be again disbursed when the products of another year are thrown upon the market

There seems now to be but little room to doubt that an abundance of money will be on hand next fall to move our grain crops and prices will be regulated by the rates of tonnage and condition of the markets of demand. The prospects of these are fully as favorable for producers as they were last year and rather better as to tonnage question We deem it safe to predict that our exports for 1874 will exceed those of last year by at least 20@25 per cent

From all parties we hear the President's action in vetoing the currency bill highly commended and we believe that no fears are entertained of its passage over his objections In fact it is hardly probable that all the members of Congress who voted affirmatively heretofore, would now support it and it has certainly gained no support from those who voted against it

Miscellaneous.

The S F *Chronicle's* commercial letter from New York April 19th, says The supply of available tonnage in port is not at all large nearly all of it being under engagement, as well as a large portion of that to arrive Of the latter a great portion of the heavier class has already been secured for the Deal trade from leading ports of New Brunswick to the United Kingdom, including quite a fleet of vessels that have been disappointed in obtaining freights at satisfactory rates in the Coal Oil and Petroleum trades This diversion of tonnage must have its effect on general freighting business and there is a prospect of a scarcity of tonnage later in the season

Not many years ago little or nothing went from the Pacific coast to Atlantic markets but now full cargoes have a frequent existence in fact One that we happened to notice recorded in the San Francisco press, is the ship St Lucie yet on the berth for New York Her list was not full at last advices but she then had 1 000 bbls syrup 600 tons pig lead, 300 tons chrome ore 1,000 bales rags 3 100 hides 1 900 logs cedar (the largest lot ever shipped at one time) wines etc on the whole forming a very valuable cargo

The following vessels are now due at the Sound ports named from San Francisco Bark Samoset at Tacoma bark Adelaide Cooper at Port Ludlow ship War Hawk at Port Discovery bark Oak Hill at Port Blakely bark Rainier at Port Gamble, barkentine Fremont at Port Townsend bark Northwest at Port Madison barkentine Eureka at Seattle

During the first quarter of 1874 the following amounts of northern coast coals arrived at San Francisco from Nanaimo, 14 [illegible] tons Bellingham Bay, 6 260 tons Seattle 713 tons Coos Bay [illegible] tons—a great increase in the aggregate over any previous year Mount Diablo furnished at the same time 40 132 tons and the agents advertise hereafter a monthly supply of 15 000 tons Renewed supplies from Seattle are promised in May the Renton Company offering to stockholders at $8 per ton The Bellingham Bay Company advertise 7 000 tons for sale at $8 50 The Coos Bay mines are furnishing free supplies at $10

French brig Auguste 841 tons has been chartered at San Francisco to go to Burrard Inlet and take lumber to Melbourne at £5 Also bark Oregon 887 tons lumber from Puget Sound to [illegible] at $16 gold,

The imports of tea at New York for March amounted to 7 671 000 lbs of which 5 002 000 lbs consisted of greens and 1 082 000 lbs Oolongs The receipts were 100 ⅌ cent larger than the sales from the first hands The stock in first hands there on the 1st of April was 11,790 000 lbs an increase of [illegible] lbs during the month

By the latest advices from Hongkong the tea shipments were over amounting to 19 600 000 lbs against 18 600 000 lbs for the previous season Nothing definite was known of the condition of the growing crop The demand from India in connection with a short crop in Siam the rice market was firmer No 1 China closing at $3 60 and white Siam at $3 25 ⅌ picul Sugar was quiet and prices easier say $7 50 for No 1 white and $4 20 for No 1 brown

The coffee market is not sustained to that extent which was predicted by some in the trade Notwithstanding the reported short supply in the producing districts it is noticed that the imports do not fully bear out the statements On the contrary if we may take New York as an example there has been a large increase in the supply The imports at New York for the first three months of the year ending March 31 aggregate 11 [illegible] 000 pounds against an average of 7 000 000 pounds for the same quarter in the two previous years

When the steamer which arrived at San Francisco last week left Yokohama there were not over 300 piculs merchantable tea there and except light The exports to date exclusive of that taken by the steamer just arrived were 11 173 000 pounds of which 1 601 pounds was sent to San Francisco and the remainder to New York mostly by way of San Francisco

At an auction sale of sugars in San Francisco last week the Cube sold for $10 25@10 [illegible] ⅌ 100 lbs Circle A at $9 87½ Golden C $8 32½ The proprietors of the California Refinery were elated with the result

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 25—Flour—$ [illegible]

Wheat—$1 92½ choice $1 [illegible]

Barley—Brewing $1 [illegible] feed $1 6 [illegible] extremes $1 55@1 80

Oats—Fair to good $1 [illegible] 1 6 Oregon [illegible]

Hay—$16@20

Potatoes—Wests good Tomales $1 [illegible] $1 50@1 7 [illegible]

Shipping Intelligence

The telegraph reports that the [illegible] left San Francisco for this port to-day

The steamship John L Stephens left San Francisco for this port at noon to day

The bark Alden Besse at the North Portland saw mills has her cargo of lumber nearly completed

The barkentine Portland is receiving cargo at Flanders wharf for San Francisco

The ship Vermont is still at Astoria awaiting the grain to complete her cargo It is being forwarded to her as fast as possible

The ship Ceylon has been chartered to load flour and grain at Astoria for Liverpool She is now at Honolulu

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2 —Sailed—Free [illegible] le Co lumbia river H L Tiernan Coos Bay

San Francisco Stock Market

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO APRIL

Ophir	[illegible]	Dayton	[illegible]
Curry	[illegible]	Utah	[illegible]
H & B	[illegible]	Union Con	[illegible]
Savage	[illegible]	Woodville	[illegible]
Chollar	[illegible]	Mint	[illegible]
Hale & N	[illegible]	Franklin	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lady Washington	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	N Y Con	[illegible]
Imperial	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Empire	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kentuck	11¼	Valley	[illegible]
O H Quartz	[illegible]	Raymond	[illegible]
Alpha	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Con Virginia	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sierra Nevada	[illegible]	H & H	[illegible]
Exchequer	[illegible]	Silver Lock	[illegible]
Overman	[illegible]	Belmont	[illegible]
Justice	[illegible]	Newark	[illegible]
Julia	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Seg Belcher	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
California	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Independent	[illegible]
Knickerbocker	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Baltimore	[illegible]	Elmore	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Mahogany	[illegible]
California	[illegible]	S Chariot	[illegible]
Silver Hill	[illegible]	War Eagle	[illegible]
Eclipse	1¼		

General Merchandise

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Mowers, Buckeye [illegible] Buckeye [illegible] $110 Buckeye [illegible] Hand Raker [illegible] Clipper [illegible] Spring Mowers [illegible] Reaper [illegible] Excelsior Reaper and Mower [illegible] McCormick's [illegible] Hand Raker $17 Harvesters Marsh's $240 Haines' Headers $3 [illegible] Threshers Vibrator Thresher 8 horse mounted power complete $[illegible] 10 horse mounted power complete $9[illegible] Sweep takes $[illegible] to $[illegible] with or without mounted power Pitts Improved Buffalo, Nos 1 to 5 $160 to $82 Tornado $[illegible] to $[illegible] Wheelers Endless Chain $500 to $ 25 Wagons Bain's [illegible] inch to 4 inch thimble skein $150 to $160 Pacific do $[illegible] Mitchell with patent or square hounds and roller brake $[illegible] to $165

BAGS AND BAGGING—Eastern and standard [illegible] are selling in San Francisco at 1@ [illegible] per cent. less than cost of importation The same quotable here at 16 cents Burlaps 10 @ 40 inch 1 @ 12½

BOOTS AND SHOES—Men's Slaughter Boots $18 @$27 [illegible] Cordova $18 @$1 Granite $4@$7 Columbia $60@$63 [illegible] Milford Standards $60@$61 J K & Co extra calf $[illegible] Phila B B calf $60@$7 S F French calf [illegible] S F half dress $60 [illegible] S F Congress Gaiters $18@$60 S F Calf Oxfords [illegible] S F do do $[illegible] @$27 Ladies J K & Co B calf sewed Bals $24@$27 do kip plough hoes $[illegible] @$21 do kid fox Bals $24 @$27 S F do do $18@$24 S F XXX do do $33@$36 Misses S F kid fox $17 50@$21 Hibbard's Custom Made Farmers kip [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] $8 to $60 do A kip [illegible] do F kip [illegible] do F kip [illegible] do A Calf extra fine hand sewed $1[illegible] do A Calf Hibbard's extra [illegible] $2 to $[illegible] Boys [illegible] $18 Ladies full Calf $8 to $[illegible] Misses Shoes inferior grade $17 50 to $[illegible]

BROOMS—The jobbing prices are firm at $4@$5 per doz for common and $5 50@$7 for best to extra best

BUILDING MATERIALS—Mill prices delivered in the city are Fir lumber rough $12 per M edged $14 surface sheathing $16 siding $20 rustic $[illegible] flooring $22 50 roofing $17 50 seasoned flooring $[illegible] one side planed $20 four sides planed $[illegible] side wall and wharf flooring $11 Laths $5 Pickets 1¼ inch lineal per 100 7c Lattice [illegible] c per 100 Shingles $[illegible] 50@$3 per M

CANDLES—We quote [illegible] lb Sperm 10@19c Paraffine [illegible] Adamantine 16c 18c Grants 16½@19 Gross & Co's 16½@19 Chemical Wax 21c Ropes 14@17c

PLATFORM
Of the Independent People of Oregon

Resolved 1. That extravagance and corruption have become so prevalent in the administration of the affairs of this State and nation as to burden the people with taxes that are not necessary to good government make politics a trade and debauch the morals of society that there is no ground to hope for a remedy for these evils through the agency of the two political parties that have heretofore ruled the country and that the welfare of the people demands that every citizen laying aside all party prejudices and differences of opinion upon immaterial points unite in selecting for the public service men who will exert themselves to secure public economy retrenchment and reduction of taxation in every practicable way

2. That we view with alarm the reckless course of the State and National Governments in the multiplication of officers beyond the requirements of the public service many of whom while receiving salaries from the public treasury are devoting themselves to their private pursuits and we demand that officers paid by the government give their time exclusively to the service for which they are appointed

3 That we favor the adoption by the National and State Government of all reasonable measures for securing cheap transportation and to this end we favor liberal aid from the General Government for the opening and improvement of our harbors and rivers for the construction of the Portland Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad the completion of the Oregon and California Railway to the southern line of the State and the extension of the Oregon Central Railway to Junction City That the interests of the State demand the completion of the Oregon Central Railway to Astoria That we favor such aid as may be consistent with prudence and public economy for the construction of roads across our mountain chains and we favor the immediate construction of a wagon road along the south bank of the Columbia river from the mouth of Sandy to The Dalles

4 That all property rights individual and corporate should be in subjection to law that we would give all proper aid encouragement and protection to corporations companies or persons engaged in transportation commerce or any other legitimate pursuit but we would hold all subject to law and we demand that the rates of freight and fare on railways within the State be fixed by the Legislature of the State and on inter State railways by Congress

5 That we demand a return to the salaries fixed by the Constitution for State officers and we condemn all the schemes that have been devised to increase such salaries by indirection That the compensation of all officers should be only such as would pay them fairly for the services they perform That County Clerks and Sheriffs should have salaries fixed by law according to their services that the law increasing their fees should be repealed, and a law enacted providing reasonable fees to be charged by them in cases where private parties alone are concerned such fees to be paid by the officers into the County Treasury That we demand the passage of a law to protect the public against unreasonable charges for the State printing

6 That we favor a liberal system of public schools but we condemn the act creating a monopoly in the sale of school books and demand its repeal

7 That we demand the repeal of the Litigant printing law

8 That we demand equal rights for all citizens and accord special privileges to none

9 That the interests of the people demand competition in the transportation of freights to and from our seaboard that we are opposed to the purchase or leasing by the State of the Canals and Locks at the falls of the Willamette, but would hold both the State and the Lock Company to a strict compliance with their existing contract

10 That we especially condemn those acts of the Legislature that have enabled speculators to obtain the public lands of the State in large tracts to the exclusion of poor men and men of moderate means who would take them for homes

11 That the removal of a faithful and competent officer merely because of his political opinions is a gross abuse of power That the use of the appointing power to reward politicians for services in conventions and elections is no less corrupt than any other species of bribery That the removal of faithful public officers for the conscientious performance of their duties is an outrage upon good government

12 That personal character is the proper criterion by which to judge of the fitness of men for public position and it is dangerous to entrust the public business to men of disreputable private character

13 That the General Government should pay all the expenses [illegible] and damages [illegible] arising from its course [illegible] with the Indians and we demand that [illegible] citizens in Eastern and Southern Oregon be [illegible] by the Government for their losses and damages in the Modoc war

14 That we are in favor of such legislation on the subject of the liquor traffic as will allow each precinct [illegible] of the [illegible] whether liquor shall be sold in that precinct or not and which shall make the vendors of intoxicating drink responsible for damages which may be done by the abuse of that privilege where sale is permitted

15 That the uprising of the agricultural classes and their organization into a society for mutual protection against the extortions of [illegible] monopolies [illegible] [illegible] every [illegible] ultimate good of the whole people

To Builders.

OFFICE OF THE LIGHT HOUSE ENGINEER Portland Oregon April 8 1874

SEALED PROPOSALS ENDORSED "PROPOSALS for Light House for [illegible] of Columbia river Oregon" will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on the 11th day of May 1874 on printed forms which with circular plans specifications form of contract and any desired information can be had on application by mail or in person to

N MICHLER
Major of Engineers U S A
Light House Engineer 13th District

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SUGARS—PULU—RICE, &c.

FROM HONOLULU DIRECT EX BARK J A Falkinburg and for sale only by—

1000 kegs ISLAND SUGAR assorted grade
[illegible] Bales PULU
[illegible] Bags TABLE RICE
[illegible] kegs MOLASSES
For sale at low rates by

ALLEN & LEWIS

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore existing in the management of Delmonico Restaurant was dissolved on the 13th of April 1874 The business will be continued by J Barber alone.

J BARBER

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DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept subject to Check at sight.

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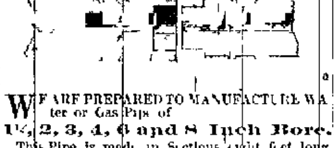

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This Pipe is made in Sections eight feet long, rounded in a lathe and connected with a socket joint and banded with iron as shown in the cut to stand any required pressure The wood is preserved in Asphaltum and is perfectly air and water tight The Pipe is WARRANTED to give satisfaction Send for Price List and Circular

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They will pass the below named Streets and Sidings as follows

GOING SOUTH.	First Car A M	From 6 30 A M till 8 P M	From 8 P M till 11 P M	Last Car P M
G street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	10 47
F street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	10 11
B Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	10 [illegible]
Pine Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Stark Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Alder Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	10 [illegible]
Yamhill Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Taylor Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Main Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Jefferson Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	10 [illegible]
Clay Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]
Mill Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Montgomery St Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Lincoln Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Caruthers Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	[illegible]

GOING NORTH.	First Car A M	From 6 [illegible] A M till 8 P M	From 8 P M till 11 20 P M	Last Car P M
Caruthers Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Lincoln Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 08
Montgomery St Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 10
Mill Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 11
Clay Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 12
Jefferson Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 13
Main Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 14
Taylor Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Yamhill Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 16
Alder Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 [illegible]
Stark Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 18
Pine Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 19
B Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	11 20
F Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	
G Street	[illegible]	[illegible] etc	[illegible] etc	

Portland February 16 1874

D. E. BUDD, Superintendent.

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NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE LATE FIRM of Newport & Davis for the Howe Machine Company will make all future payments only to the office of the Company or to Canton C Kremer General Agents of the Company and in no event to any other person or persons Those now in arrears will please remit at once through Wells Fargo & Co to

THE HOWE MACHINE CO
No 10[illegible] Third St

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NOTICE

WE THE UNDERSIGNED LATE AGENTS OF the Howe Machine Company having resigned such agency desire to return our thanks to our patrons and the public for their patronage and solicit for the company a continuance of the same

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THE HOUSE IS NEW HARD FINISHED AND ROOM FOR 150 BOARDERS.

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HOUSE TO LET on Third street, opposite the Market Square Apply at Thompson's Hotel

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Suits for families, and Single Rooms Good Style

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 1467.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Fire Department Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That the sum of two hundred sixty two and 12 100 dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund to supply a deficiency in the Appropriation heretofore made for the purchase of Steam Fire Engines

Passed the Common Council April 15 1874

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April 16 1874

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1468.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Fund arising from the sale of Fire Department Bonds

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That out of the Fund arising from the sale of Fire Department Bonds there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of two thousand dollars to provide for the purchase of a Fire Alarm Bell and fixtures and for the payment of freights insurance and incidental expenses

Passed the Common Council April 15 1874

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April 16 1874

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1469.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fund for Street Lamps.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fund for Street Lamps

To W S Halpruner for the erection of and repairs to lamps to April 1, 1874 four hundred ninety-six and [illegible] 100 dollars

To the Portland Gas Light Co for gas to street lamps to April 1 1874 five hundred and thirty three 50 100 dollars

To R Hendrie for lighting oil lamps to April 2 1874 four hundred and forty four 85 100 dollars

Section 2 The Auditor and Clerk is hereby directed to draw warrants upon the Treasury in payment of the above named claims

Passed the Common Council April 15 1874

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WM. HARMAN, [illegible] Chicago Black Smith

Persons desiring the services of any of the above named officers to lecture or organize Encampments are requested to address this office

C K BURROWS Gr Com

Salem Feb 25 1874

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DISTRICT OF OREGON SS IN BANKRUPTCY At Portland Oregon [illegible] day of April 1874 The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Eugene Semple, of the city of Portland county of Multnomah State of Oregon within said District who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon creditors petition by the District Court of said District

A S GROSS
Assignee

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MEDICAL.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE

NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!

Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,

623 KEARNEY STREET NEAR COMMERCIAL San Francisco Established [illegible] for the treatment of [illegible] and Seminal Diseases such as Gonorrhea Gleet Stricture Syphilis in all its forms Seminal Weakness, Impotency [illegible] Diseases of [illegible] Ulcerated Legs [illegible] ed

DR GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing he has returned from visiting the principal hospitals of Europe and has resumed practice at his dispensary 623 Kearney street corner of Commercial San Francisco where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him

The Doctor has spared no time nor money in seeking out new remedies [illegible] increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons both male and female are there who are suffering out a miserable existence from the effect of [illegible] from virus absorbed into the system [illegible] pallid emaciated and disfigured faces and broken down constitutions [illegible] the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment [illegible] In this horrible situation thousands suffer and closes the scene Let parents guard and attend to those who are suffering with any of these horrible life destroying maladies [illegible] cared for and cured be [illegible] immediately to DR. GIBBON [illegible] made private diseases his [illegible] and who is certain to cure [illegible] without mercury or any [illegible] drugs [illegible] important to those who are [illegible] are interested in the welfare [illegible] careful of the [illegible] all cities publishing their [illegible] In a few days, imposing upon the public the names of eminent [illegible] other places [illegible] inquiry or you may fall into the hands of charlatans.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions the consequence of self abuse This solitary vice or depraved sexual [illegible] practiced by the youth of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent producing with unerring certainty the following train of morbid symptoms unless combatted by scientific medical measures, [illegible] low countenance dark [illegible] under the eyes [illegible] the head ringing in the ears noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots, [illegible] the loins weakness of the limbs [illegible] blunted intellect loss of confidence, [illegible] approaching strangers a dislike to form acquaintances disposition to shun society loss of memory hectic flushes pimples and various eruptions about the face [illegible] coughs consumption night sweats [illegible] frequent insanity If relief is not obtained apply immediately to the [illegible] person or by letter have a cure effected [illegible] and simple mode of treating this disease [illegible] never fails [illegible] ing a quick and radical cure [illegible] Hundred Dollars [illegible] who will [illegible] isfactorily to him [illegible] cured of the complaint by either of the [illegible] quack

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate [illegible] ing under any of the [illegible] forget the sacred re[illegible] nor delay to obtain [illegible] DR GIBBON [illegible] patient a written [illegible] fect a radical and permanent cure, or [illegible] charge.

Cured at Home.

Persons at a distance [illegible] by addressing [illegible] symptoms [illegible] and have medicine [illegible] damage and [illegible] with full and [illegible] Dollars [illegible] office or through [illegible] medicine will be [illegible] Union. All communications strictly confidential

Caution to the Unwary

Beware of the [illegible] quacks and pretenders who [illegible] certificates [illegible] the unwary [illegible] names are to be [illegible] daily and newspapers of San [illegible] other tradesmen and [illegible] to work trades. Some are [illegible] carriers intelligence [illegible] papers, etc. [illegible] way to avoid imposition [illegible] cost you nothing and may save you [illegible] for, as advertising physicians in eight [illegible] ten are bogus, there is no safety in [illegible] them until you know who and what [illegible] Gibbon does not deceive people by [illegible] tities certificates pretended patients [illegible] Dr Gibbon will satisfy persons who [illegible] office of his ability to treat diseases [illegible] to cure.

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☞ Correspondents will [illegible] BON that they read his advertisement [illegible] OREGONIAN

$1,000 REWARD [illegible]

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Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM No 1

cures Chancres first and second stage [illegible] the Legs or Body, Sore Ears, [illegible] Copper-colored Blotches Syphilitic [illegible] Diseased Scalp and all primary [illegible] disease known as Syphilis. Price [illegible] tle, or two for $9

Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM No 2

cures Tertiary Mercurial Syphilitic [illegible] tism, Pains in the Bones Back of the [illegible] cerated Sore Throat Syphilitic [illegible] and Contracted Cords Stiffness of the [illegible] and eradicates all diseases from the [illegible] whether caused by [illegible] of mercury—leaving the blood pure [illegible] Price, $5 per bottle, or two for $9

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Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN SPANISH INjection, a wash [illegible] ection for [illegible] of Gonnorhoea, Inflammatory Gleet, and all diseases of the kidneys and [illegible] Price, $1 50 per bottle

Also Agents for DR. LE RICHAU'S [illegible] PILLS for Seminal Weakness, Night Emissions, Impotency, and all diseases [illegible] Masturbation and excessive abuse [illegible] per bottle The genuine Golden [illegible] put up only in round bottles.

On receipt of price these [illegible] be sent to all parts of the [illegible] or mail, securely packed and [illegible] vation Sole Agents

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ESTABLISHMENT,

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SAN FRANCISCO

N. W. SPAULDING'S PATENT FALSE TEETH inserted in circular saws [illegible] REPAIRING in all its branches, such as [illegible] ming Re Toothing [illegible] etc.

CIRCULAR SAWS of all [illegible] also Gang [illegible] Mulay Gang Buck [illegible] Hand [illegible] kinds together with a [illegible] assortment of [illegible] bours at lowest market rates

Cast Steel Feed PLANER KNIVES and [illegible] ING CUTTERS always on hand or made to short notice

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BERRYMAN & DOYLE,

DEALERS IN CUMBERLAND LEHIGH all descriptions of

Foreign & Domestic Coals, also [illegible]

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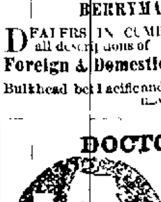

The Celebrated [illegible] nese Physician [illegible]

OPEN FOR BIDS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS MOVED [illegible] his winter quarters [illegible] hod his [illegible] tract that [illegible] present [illegible] kopher [illegible] attention [illegible] neatness and dispatch [illegible] Otman Residence, cor [illegible] street [illegible] [illegible] Fifth and [illegible] with DeLa[illegible]

EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

The Louisiana Flood

NEW ORLEANS April 26—The river is falling It [illegible] inches below highwater mark Seven days [illegible] Western and Eastern mails are now due [illegible] bridges are gone between here and Mobile [illegible] Jackson

[illegible] La. April 26—The river rose but very [illegible] last night but another [illegible] Washington [illegible] on the back part of the city [illegible] overflowed within three blocks of the river [illegible] weather is fair There is no [illegible] from [illegible] or below

Relief for the Sufferers

WASHINGTON April 26—Since [illegible] from military [illegible] on the lower Mississippi [illegible] the Secretary of War after [illegible] conference with the President [illegible] [illegible] of meal, flour [illegible] [illegible] the relief bill [illegible] appropriation [illegible] His estimate are based [illegible] to 20,000 persons for twenty days

[illegible] Ky April 26—A steamboat with [illegible] tons of Government provisions left [illegible] for the Louisiana submerged district this afternoon

Arms and Ammunition for Brooks.

[illegible] LOUIS, April 26—The *Times* asserts that 2 000 [illegible] rifles and 1 900 rounds of ammunition [illegible] sent to Brooks at Little Rock

A Sensible Resolution.

NEW YORK April 26—The Federal Council of Internationals have resolved to disband the organization [illegible] it is a complete failure in the United States

Arrival of the Bender Fiend at Topeka Kansas.

There was great excitement at Topeka Kansas [illegible] over the arrival of old man Bender and [illegible] Thousands flocked around the jail to see [illegible] who were fully identified by many who had seen them when in Kansas

Religious Difficulties in Russia—Pounding and Shooting Holiness into Refractory Peasants.

NEW YORK April 26—St Petersburg letters give particulars of a disorder in [illegible] attempt to force the [illegible] to the Russian Nation [illegible] Priests of [illegible] sixty-six parishes in the Province [illegible] all imprisoned for [illegible] the Russo-Greek Church [illegible] refused to recognize the Russian [illegible] their churches, whereupon they were [illegible] some places the peasantry [illegible] military [illegible] the village of Crakp [illegible] soldiers and [illegible] pikes and stones. The soldiers fired [illegible] the peasants [illegible] and a large number were killed [illegible] the village of Potulin a similar disaster occurred, in which several officers [illegible] and 5 peasants shot down [illegible] and other chief towns were [illegible] prisoners. Besides these arrests [illegible] the [illegible] districts were sentenced [illegible] with 50 blows the women [illegible] the children with 10 each without [illegible] Some women who were [illegible] received 150 blows

Temperance Hummers in Columbus Ohio.

COLUMBUS O April 27—The [illegible] crusade which has been quiet [illegible] weeks [illegible] to-day in a new direction [illegible] recently [illegible] marched to the saloon of [illegible] who [illegible] advertised a free lunch and now [illegible] Water (some of them [illegible] prominently identified with the [illegible] temperance [illegible] and demanded some of [illegible] and a [illegible] of the lunch Wagner refused [illegible] [illegible] the women, who [illegible] been [illegible] on the walk in front of [illegible] place [illegible] of his efforts to disperse them by walking the [illegible] walk.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Prospect for Financial Legislation

WASHINGTON April [illegible] Finance Committee will this week [illegible] finance [illegible] The conservatives [illegible] be framed [illegible] acceptable to the Senate [illegible] feature of [illegible] resumption proposed in [illegible] right to [illegible] the additional bank [illegible] a certain proportion of legal [illegible] simultaneously and many [illegible] bill be reported from the Senate [illegible] a provision authorizing free bank[illegible] pass the [illegible] and the House and [illegible] approval of the President

Postal Changes for the Pacific Coast

WASHINGTON April [illegible] postal changes have been ordered for the Pacific coast. [illegible] discontinued Trask Tillamook county [illegible] Postmaster appointed [illegible] Clackamas county Oregon

[illegible] private letter from General [illegible] he will [illegible] to the United States in two [illegible]

Baxter Denies

WASHINGTON April 27—Governor Baxter telegraphs to the President denying that he has declared martial law outside of Pulaski county

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Carlists want Mercy—Castelar Favors a Federal Republic for Spain

MADRID April 26—A rumor is current that the Carlists have asked Serrano for an amnesty

Senor Castelar has written a letter in which he declares himself in favor of a Federal Republic

Kaiser Wilhelm makes a Speech

BERLIN April 26—Emperor William in person closed the session of the Reichstag yesterday with a formal speech

De Lesseps Quiet Again

LONDON April 26—Advices from Constantinople say that the Suez Canal difficulty is settled

JAPAN.

SAN FRANCISCO April 2[illegible]—The steamer *Colorado* which arrived this afternoon [illegible] Yokohama dates to April 7th Yeto [illegible] leader of the Saga insurrection is a fugitive in the islands of the [illegible] and sea, having vainly sought refuge in [illegible] An expedition has been organized by Japan against For[illegible] Japan disputing with China the right to the [illegible] of the Island The first detachment of the expedition was to have started about April 10th. Several Americans are engaged in the expedition Violent measures are not intended but will be resorted to, if absolutely necessary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The weather along the Lower Fraser is described as lovely

Mr J L Crimp Government Agent for Cassiar, has gone to the mines

The *Marietta* and *Austria* are at Hastings The bark *Marcano* was at Moody's

The ships *James E Bell* and *B[illegible]* and bark *Coulston* are at Departure Bay

Only 14 names were enrolled for the militia company at Nanaimo Forty are required

Mayor Dickinson of New Westminster, was sworn in before Chief Justice Begbie on Monday

The new steamer *Glenora* built at Victoria for the Stickeen trade is ready to begin her trips

The steamer *Hope* and the new steamer *Glenora* were to leave for Cassiar Monday last in company

A Royal Commission is sitting at Victoria Chief Justice Begbie and Judges Gray and Crease presiding

Messrs Pagden and Laughton left Victoria by the *Otter* for Bella Bella [illegible] the purpose of prospecting for coal [illegible]

Messrs T Price and John Morrison [illegible] were caught by the caving of a part of the roof in the Douglas Pit and severely bruised

The two Indians charged with the murder of Annandale were examined before [illegible] Pemberton recently [illegible] proof

Messrs [illegible] Orr [illegible] company the [illegible] for gold and other [illegible] the trail

Mr Finny [illegible] Johnson [illegible] weeks The [illegible] placed [illegible]

CIRCUIT COURT FOR LANE COUNTY

C W Powell [illegible] dismiss review [illegible] ted

J J [illegible] motion [illegible] ruled

State vs Maxwell [illegible] ruled [illegible]

Ben Holladay [illegible] plaint overruled

Same vs A W [illegible] plaint sustained [illegible] tract is void as [illegible] that [illegible] is *ultra vires* [illegible]